

## Here, There Around Town

By Local Observer

A Newmarket couple visited Mexico on a holiday trip. Prior to returning home, the wife was having difficulty trying to decide on her choice of a suitable souvenir.

Everything looked so beautiful, it was difficult making a selection. Finally, impressed with the exquisitely tooled leather handbags, this Newmarket woman decided on one of them as her gift of Mexico to herself.

As they waited in the small shop for the sales clerk to wrap the parcel, they chatted informally. "You are from Canada?" the Mexican woman asked.

"Yes," replied our friend. "From a small town near Toronto in the province of Ontario. Do you know of Toronto?"

"No, I don't know that place. I know of Newmarket. That's where the Davis Leather factory is. We get our leather from them for these purses," she said.

Daylight saving will be observed in Newmarket for the same period that it is in Toronto, from 2 a.m. April 26, to 2 a.m. September 22.

On Wednesday, two members of the Newmarket Home and School association, Mrs. Ray Holbrook and Mrs. Nelson Ion, attended the annual provincial convention of Home and School associations at the Royal York hotel, Toronto. At the banquet in the evening, at which approximately 1,100 men and women were present, the local women were seated at one of the small tables arranged in the banquet hall.

Introductions with the neighboring Home and School people were conducted. Across the table from the Newmarket pair was Mrs. James Otton, London, a sister-in-law of Mrs. S. W. Otton. Next to her was a Mrs. R. D. Hill, Brantford, a personal relative of several of Mrs. Ion's relatives in that city. Along the line was a Mrs. G. Gardiner, Forest Hill village, who had been a discussion leader at a recent Home and School council meeting which the Newmarket group had attended. And, finally the long arm of coincidence reached to yet another of the dinner party. She was Mrs. W. Allen, publications convener of the provincial organization who is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Joel Spillette. Who says it isn't a small world?

An official thank-you was received by the Newmarket council on Monday night from the Lord Mayor of London, England. It acknowledged gratefully the financial donations made by local residents to the Flood and Tempest Fund.

**\$1,404 RAISED**  
A total sum of \$1,404 has been received by the Newmarket Lions club Easter Seal campaign for the crippled children's fund. The Lions announce that they will accept donations for the fund.

**SCOUT MEETING**  
An important meeting of the Boy Scout Men's committee will be held on Monday, April 13, at 8 p.m. The committee asks that all parents and interested citizens attend when important matters will be discussed about the Scout organization.

**\$85.52 FOR FUND**  
The Salvation Army in Newmarket recently held a rummage sale of used clothing collected for the benefit of the overseas flood fund. A total of \$85.52 was raised.

## 'Chicken Or Egg First' Monthly Issue Continues

Discussion over a boat renting licence at Orchard Beach, Lake Simcoe, has become a regular monthly feature of the North Gwillimbury township council. At the regular meeting at Belhaven on Monday, Messrs. Cameron and Matthews asked council to promise that Charles Janston, Orchard Beach, would not be given a boat renting licence. Members of council indicated that it did not appear that Janston would be issued a licence.

Joseph Dales, Newmarket, solicitor for Janston, subsequently appeared at the meeting and asked council to provide a reason for not issuing a licence to Janston for the purpose of renting boats. He told council that Janston had a sizeable investment in his business and wanted to protect it.

Dales said he understood the Department of Lands and Forests would grant Janston a licence of occupation if council would grant a boat livery licence.

## 94 Births In March A Record At Hospital, Plan To Add Building

A record was set at York County hospital in the maternity wing during March when 94 babies were born there. Congestion was felt throughout the hospital. To alleviate the situation, the board is planning "an additional building to look after the surplus," said Kenneth Stiver, Q.C., chairman. "We are not able to provide the facilities required of us."

During March, York County hospital which is the only general hospital between Toronto and Barrie had a daily average of 68.6 patients. The hospital is listed as a 62 bed institution. Miss Lillian Thomas, superintendent of nurses for the hospital said, "Our statistics show that for March we had a 93 per cent occupancy. A hospital is considered filled to capacity at about 80 per cent occupancy. This takes into consideration the vacancy of a percentage of beds made necessary by the daily flow of in-coming and out-going patients as well as the periodic vacancies for renovations."

In March all the 24 beds in the maternity wing were filled, with some patients having to remain in the corridors. "This is the first time that maternity has been rushed," said Miss Thomas.

## SCOTT TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OPPOSED TO HEALTH UNIT

At the regular monthly meeting of Scott township council held at the township hall in the afternoon of Saturday, April 4, all members were present.

Communications were read from the county clerks of York and Ontario, advising that the road from Udon to Brock township had been taken off the county road systems. The county clerk of Ontario asked for the council's opinion regarding a proposal to establish a county health unit. The Department of Agriculture sent an additional cheque toward Sandford community hall.

A resolution stated that "health services are being taken care of well enough at the present time and we are therefore very much opposed to the establishment of the proposed health unit at this time."

Reeve Thaxter and Councillors Bain and Luke were appointed a committee to look into the matter of surveying village lots at Leaskdale.

Three tenders had been submitted for crushing and laying gravel on township roads were received and contract was awarded to R. A. Blyth Co., Toronto.

At a previous meeting of the members of council, Mr. Orville Gilhooly had been appointed inspector of warble fly spraying and Clarence Pickering as operator of the spraying machine. Reports of township work were presented and it was decided that if the work was not progressing speedily enough under the present arrangements additional help would be engaged.

## START WARBLE CONTROL

Warble fly control is to be started in North Gwillimbury township. Whitechurch township also decided on a similar control program. The North Gwillimbury council has authorized the rental of a sprayer and Robert Nicholson and George Hillaby will be instructed in the spraying of cattle.

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## CORONATION PLANS TO BE DECIDED AT MEETING APRIL 10

Preliminary plans have been held between the Newmarket council's Coronation committee and the Coronation committee of the Canadian Legion to discuss the festivities for Coronation day.

Many of the older generations can recall various coronation days, back to the time of Edward the Seventh. The coronation of this year may be the last that will be observed by most of the adults of today. Organizations are asked to have a representative on hand at the general meeting, April 10, 8 p.m., at the council chambers.

## LIONS' MINSTRELS FIFTH ANNUAL SHOW

The Newmarket Lions club's fifth annual Minstrel Show will be staged at the Newmarket town hall next week, April 14, 15, 16 and 17. This year the show will feature a Hammond organ and piano instead of an orchestra. Over \$5,000 worth of equipment is represented in the Hammond organ, the Lions report.

The organist will be Florence Goldsmith and pianist, Mrs. C. E. Blossdale.

Featured soloists this year will be Murray Huntley, Terry Doane and Charles E. Boyd. Mr. Interlocutor, as usual will be Alex Eves and Ang West will be Mr. Interrupter. The Minstrels' men will be Jack Luesby, Allan Read, Dick Hillard and Gene McCaffrey.

The seating plan for the show is at Best's drug store.

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Several councillors pointed out that when the Hydro commission was set up following the war, the local equipment and lines were in very poor condition. Not only did much of the existing equipment require replacement but with the growth of the town since the mid-1940's, many new services have been added. The surpluses have been used to replace and add new equipment.

The mayor, returning to the annual financial statement, questioned the transfer of one sum from a previous classification. In 1950 the town debentured for \$60,000 for hydro. Of this sum, \$27,000 was allocated to frequency standardization expenses.

In the statement presented by Mr. Hector on Monday's council meeting \$16,000 of this latter amount of \$27,000, had been charged against the operating surplus. "How can they do that," questioned the mayor. "I'm on the commission and I don't recall any resolution regarding this matter."

## HOLLAND LANDING ORGANIZES NEW GUIDE COMPANY

A group of Guides, members of the 1st Newmarket Girl Guide company, visited the newly organized Holland Landing company on Wednesday night, April 1. The visitors provided the program which consisted of a demonstration of a regular Guide meeting.

In the sample of Guide work was included an opening ceremony, inspection, semaphore and knots, games and a campfire. The Holland Landing Guides joined in the program which ended with Taps.

A return visit will be made by the Holland Landing company to the Newmarket group when the latter holds an enrolment and parents' night on Wednesday, April 29.

## Tax Rate At 64 Mills After Budget Cutting

A tax rate of 64 mills was set by the Newmarket council at a meeting on Monday night. Chairman of the finance committee, Herbert Gladman said that after committees and school boards had cut down their 1953 estimates at council's request, council had arrived at a mill rate of 63. He asked that council add on an extra mill to cover incidentals and interest on money borrowed for the Main St. project which is to start soon.

"We had several meetings of the finance committee in an effort to cut down estimates," said Deputy-Reeve Gladman. We asked the public school board to

cut \$3,000 off its 1953 estimates. They have managed to take off \$2,300.

He said that the board had reported that it would have to postpone a number of its plans for 1953.

The county tax levy is down 7,000 which helped out considerably, Mr. Gladman said.

A breakdown of the mill rate is as follows: general rates, 17.4 mills; public and separate schools, 20 mills; high school, 6 mills; county rate, 4 mills; 14 mills; relief costs, 3 mills, and library, 6 mills.

This year's tax rate represents an increase of three mills over 1952. Council had found that it would have a tax rate of over 70 mills without cutting any of the estimates from committees and boards.

Mr. Joe Gatti and two associates told council that they need the road to transport fertilizer to the newly developed areas. It was decided that Alvin Rye, the township road superintendent, would commence this week on road preparations. It was thought that May 15 was the earliest that the road could be completed. It would be necessary to arrange for tenders on graveling and a hill would have to be removed in the path of the road, council said.

East Gwillimbury council had agreed, at its March meeting, to co-operate with North Gwillimbury in constructing a road to the timber limits west of the Lake Simcoe highway (Toronto and York Roads No. 12), provided that Mr. Gatti undertook certain ditching operations.

Mrs. Mary Kemp has asked council for permission to erect a pump house at the Cook's Bay end of this particular road in order to drain the ditch in front of her property.

## 200-ACRE FIRE

Over 200 acres of grassland property burned yesterday in a two-hour fire in Whitechurch township. The grassland burned is west of the eighth concession of Whitechurch at the Vandorf sideroad.

Fire brigades from Stouffville and Mount Albert fought the fires and fire fighting equipment from the Vivian reforestation station was brought in. Two tractors were used to plow circles around the fire area.

## COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, APRIL 10 — Good Neighbor Community club is holding a dance at Vivian school. Lucky draw. Spot dance. Canteen service. Members 40c. Non-members 50c. Doors open at 8:45.

SATURDAY, APR. 11—St. John's bingo postponed. Bingo as usual Saturday, April 18. Jackpot \$200.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 11—Newmarket Dramatic club presents three-act comedy, "Papa Is All" at the town hall auditorium, Newmarket, reservations at McCaffrey's Flower Shop.

SATURDAY, APRIL 11—Dance at Bond Head Memorial hall, sponsored by Anglican Young People's Society. Modern and old time dancing featuring the Top Hatters.

TUESDAY, APR. 14—Sharon Institute is holding a euchre in Sharon hall at 8 p.m. Everyone welcome. Good prizes.

SPECIAL notice to Good neighbor club members. General monthly meetings have been changed to third Monday of every month. Next meeting is April 20.

TUESDAY, APR. 14 — The Red Cross will quilt and sew, at Trinity United church, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Lunch. c1w15

WED. WED., THURS., APR. 13, 14, 15, 16, 17—Tickets now on sale for the Lions club Minstrel Show, at Best's drug store, Newmarket. c2w14

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15 — bingo at Legion Hall, Newmarket, at 8 p.m., 10 games 35c. Jackpot \$25. Share-the-wealth \$142

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15—Afternoon tea and bake sale under auspices of York County hospital Women's auxiliary. 8 p.m. c1w15

WEDNESDAY, APR. 15 — Cro-quinole party sponsored by Queensville Young People's Union. In Sharon hall, at 8:15 p.m. Proceeds for special mission project. Admission 25c.

APRIL 15, 16, 17 and 18—Royal Spring one cent Sale at The Best Drug Store, 78 Main St., Newmarket. c1w15

THURSDAY, APR. 16—Bingo in

## Clark Favors Purchase Of North Gwillimbury Police Radio Equipment

North Gwillimbury township council dealt with the matter of a police commission for the three municipalities of Sutton, Georgina and North Gwillimbury at a meeting in Belhaven Monday. Council sought Councillor James Clark's opinion on what had been decided upon while he had been absent for the past month. Clark favored the purchase of a two-way radio for two new police cars. This radio installation, complete with a 70 foot tower, would cost \$2,585. A radium of 20 to 30 miles would be the extent of the broadcast.

Councillor Clark said, "There has been a lot of 'yapping' about no police enforcement. A man, however, cannot work 24 hours a day. This two-way radio on two police cars would still not give us full police protection but I feel that full protection is not required. We have gone this far and we will have to go further. This is the start. We will soon be forced into a position where we will have to have a proper building to suit the needs of the clerk, assessor and police. Some won't like it; the majority will."

The two-way radio installation has been contracted for and is to be installed not later than May 1, 1953, with the controls located in Police Chief William Hill's house.

## New Personalities And Veterans Of The Stage In 'Papa Is All'

The stage of the Newmarket Town Hall was a busy spot this week as the members of the Dramatic Club put the finishing touches to their production of "Papa Is All", which will be presented on Friday and Saturday evenings, April 10 and 11.

Lois and Norman Hathaway are decorating the new set constructed by Jack Fisher while stage manager Ken Leaming experiments with the new lighting system which will be used for the first time for this show.

The cast of the play is a combination of new and familiar faces. The newcomers to the stage are Bill Elliott who plays the part of the tyrannical father; Diana Haddad, as the love-starved but determined daughter; and Bill Robinson as a stalwart State Trooper.

Grace Sinclair as the gossip neighbor, is as effervescent as ever and is an ideal foil for the calm long suffering character of Mama as played by Alma Stephens. Nick Styke as the brown-beaten but ambitious son is playing a new type of part for him and, according to reports, is doing very well.

Members of the club who have witnessed rehearsals are enthusiastic about this latest effort. "Papa Is All" is being directed by Mike McMorris whose successful production two years ago of "Dirty Work at the Crossroads" is still remembered. According to the director this play is different but just as entertaining as "Dirty Work".

Tickets for the show are available from club members or at McCaffrey's Flower Shop. Reservations may be made at McCaffrey's.

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Mr. Hardy said that in the formation of a community group, thought should be given to the inclusion of property owners, tenants of real property, as well as other residents in the community. He felt that by making the membership open to a larger percentage of the citizens, it would broaden interest and encourage more healthy participation in municipal elections. He pointed out that every adult contributes in some proportion to the monies administered by the town council. A large proportion of all provincial taxes is spent by municipal governments, and even the money collected from the parking meters which goes to the police committee adds to the town's funds indirectly. Every resident who drops a penny in a parking meter is entitled to have an interest in the operation of the town's business.

He suggested that a ratepayers' association should have an educational plan and suggested that, under a yearly program, members could be provided an opportunity to hear from the elected representatives on the work which they are doing, as well as from the paid employees of the town on the function of their jobs. In this way it gives the people a better measuring stick for judging the suitability of a candidate for public office. He suggested that the group take constructive interest in the yearly budget and that it ask the council for its five year program of expenditure.

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## MILL REQUESTED BY LIBRARY BOARD CUT TO \$2,870

Among the public bodies which suffered budget cuts in the striking of the 1953 mill rate by the Newmarket town council was the public library board. The library board had submitted an estimate the equivalent of one mill, equal to \$4,371.

A list of town grants in the council's budget report for 1953 is the library board grant of \$2,870. A member of the library board pointed out this week that the report indicates that the board had requested \$2,870.

"There must have been a mistake in the report. We asked for \$4,371," the library representative said.

The board's estimate of one mill was intended to cover increased costs, the establishment of an adequate circulating system and anticipated expenditures in connection with the acquisition of new quarters for the library.

## DAIRY FARMERS PLANNING TO USE MORE ADVERTISING

A \$400,000.00 June advertising set-aside this year is the objective of the Dairy Farmers of Canada, according to Secretary-Manager Erle Kitchen, Toronto. This total has never been reached by the three previous set-asides. The nearest approach to this figure was in 1950 when \$344,000 was realized.

Mr. Kitchen pointed out that, based on June 1952 milk production, this year's objective is just under 80 percent of the amount possible and represents an increase of 23 percent over the 1952 set-aside of \$325,000.

Discussing the need for a greater set-aside, O.J.W. Shugg, director of publicity for the Dairy Farmers of Canada, said that new, abnormal conditions influencing the dairy industry's course at the present time made it imperative that both product advertising and public relations programs be expanded to meet the new situation.

There must be a greater frequency of impact on the public and even a \$400,000 fund would be strained to do the job dairy producers require. All dairy producer organizations must lend their support if the new objective was to be reached, Mr. Shugg said.

**TRINITY W.M.S.**  
The Easter Thankoffering meeting of the combined Missionary societies of Trinity United church, Newmarket, will be held Tuesday evening, April 14, at 8 o'clock.

We are pleased to welcome back to Newmarket Mrs. R. J. D. Simpson, a former high school teacher. Guest soloist will be Mrs. L. Stephens and our worship service will be led by Mrs. A. S. Arnold. A cordial welcome awaits all ladies at this service.

## CITIZENS' EXPERT SAYS:

## Need Closer Touch With Council

"The electorate should keep in close touch with the town council during the year and the expression of the public interest can be provided by a group such as a ratepayers' association," Mr. Erle Hardy told members of Newmarket's ratepayers' association last week.

An organizational meeting was held in the fire hall auditorium last week for the ratepayers' association. Mr. Hardy, director of the Citizens' Research Institute was guest speaker at the meeting. Another meeting is to be held shortly.

In elections, the greatest number of votes is cast during a federal election in a municipality but in a municipal election, the lowest number is cast, Mr. Hardy said. It is not entirely because there is a smaller number of people entitled to vote in municipal elections. It is that people are not sufficiently interested in the job their local government must do.

The job of town government is a management undertaking with a number of physical services which must be administered, such as school buildings, parks, water systems, sewage disposal systems and public utilities as well as administration of town finances.

"To do this work efficiently it is not essential that members of council should consider themselves experts or laymen trying to become experts, he said. The experts are the people the town pays: the town clerk or town engineer. But since council directs the course which is to be followed, in relation to the amount of taxes levied on the people, the selection of elected representatives is extremely im-

portant. It is desirable that the electorate keep in close touch with council during the year and that expression of interest can be given by groups such as ratepayers' associations. One individual is not heard but council must listen to a group. Mr. Hardy said.

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## THE EDITORIAL PAGE

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THURSDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF APRIL, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY- FIFTY-THREE

### INCREASING TAX RATES

Newmarket's tax rate has been set at 64 mills. The town council had been faced with the problem of a mill rate of over 70 when all school estimates and committee estimates were brought in. Mr. Herbert Gladman and his finance committee requested a close cutting of the year's estimates. Committees and boards went to work on reducing their budgets.

All councils fear a large increase in the tax rate and the members of the 1953 Newmarket council would by no means feel at ease by introducing a mill rate of over 70. Committees had to cancel some of their plans for improvements and it is possible that some had to make a pinch which under ordinary circumstances they would be ill advised to do. It was not revealed at the Monday council meeting as to what exactly was cut out of the 1953 program. Time will tell.

High costs of material and rising costs of labor play havoc with committee planning from year to year. The tax rate has been going up every year in at least the past ten. Roads, bridges, sidewalks, buildings must be maintained and there is always room for improvements as the town grows. In spite of these rising costs, a council does not want to see the tax rate go up.

As a solution to rising tax rates, some people argue that Newmarket should have a larger population and to acquire a larger population, more industry is needed, they argue. It is not a reasonable argument in this case of tax rates, although there are other reasons why the town should have more industry. With new industry comes more housing and with more housing comes an increased financial burden on the town for new streets and services. It is a question whether the added assessment on new industry and new homes offsets these high costs for services or not.

But what is necessary is an adequate assessment on each piece of property and every building in the community. If some assessments are too low, there is an unnecessary burden on the taxpayers. The first thing council should do in the light of these rising tax rates is to be perfectly sure that assessments in the municipality are equalized and up to date.

### NO PEACE FEARS

What so many people want to know these days is whether or not the peace moves by Russia are sincere ones. With these thoughts about a true peace, some people talk about the nation's economy in a different light. "What will happen if we don't need these big defence plants?" some ask. We really wonder if some people are afraid that there will be no threat of war and that the prosperity of our country will be retarded by the effects on the economy.

With the peace moves it was noted that the stock market took a drop and financial publications and daily papers carried editorials this week to dispel the idea that industrialists and financiers fear peace.

The Financial Post said "If peace can be achieved, even some measure of it, then we can get ahead with the real job of making possible a better life for more people in more parts of the world and, if we manage our affairs wisely, prosper in doing it."

The Toronto Globe and Mail commented on "recent news stories from New York (that) suggest that because stock values have fallen . . . the Western World fears peace in Korea and with the Communist world in general. The impression is left that a switch from a war to a peace economy would be injurious to our basic economy".

"That of course is not true," the Globe and Mail goes on. "Any change in the pattern of industrial activity causes stock market reactions . . . The possibility of peace does not depress the market any more than it attracts other buyers. That is especially so when there is no panic selling, but only enough liquidation to protect accounts. And that is all that has been happening these last ten days."

We hope that we will never hear again, that Canadians or others in the western world fear or would regret a state of world peace. Yet undoubtedly there are individuals whose self-interest is greater than their desire for a peaceful world. The existence of such people also provides the best propaganda material.

### SOCIETY IN DISTRESS

From all reports, the North York Humane Society is having a large share of financial difficulties. The main reason for the society's problems seems to lie with the owners of dogs who either refuse to buy licences or ignore their duty. The society depends on licence fees to finance its operations. The first year it took over dog control in Newmarket and other municipalities of North York, it received public funds to start its program. Newmarket paid \$2,000 to the society for taking on dog control responsibilities, with the understanding that during subsequent years it would depend on income from dog licences.

Last fall the society moved its headquarters and kennels from Newmarket to a new location at Aurora. A considerable amount of money was used for the new location and at present there is a shortage of cash to put the new headquarters into a suitable condition. Meanwhile the dog licence situation is not going well.

The North York Humane society's inspector calls on residents to collect licence fees. Fewer fees are being collected than there were when Newmarket had its own collector. In one year around \$700 was collected in Newmarket before the society took over dog control responsibility. Last year only \$561 was collected by the Humane Society inspector. From Aurora \$390 was collected and from Richmond Hill \$218 was collected.

There is a vicious circle found in the society's problem. The inspector, who has the authority of a police officer, calls at homes to collect the dog licence. Owners of pets refuse to pay the fee but the inspector does not have the time, nor does the society have the money which it should have from fees, to carry on court cases. The inspector can seize pets and impound them but this practice also proves expensive as there seems to be few pet owners who will pay the money to retrieve their impounded pets. Cost of feeding the animals in the pound is too great for the society in its present financial position.

The solution is more money and more co-operation on the part of persons who own dogs. If they want to keep dogs, they should like them enough to be willing to pay a licence fee. If people continue to keep dogs but refuse to pay the fee, the community will still have a problem in the dog nuisance and the community will still need the Humane Society to combat it. No matter how one looks at it, it is still a public problem.

### LESS PROGRESS IN NORTH

Although the third and final reading of provincial Bill 80 has not yet been passed to create a metropolitan area of Toronto and southern York municipalities, a metropolitan council has been set up, headed by Mr. Fred G. Gardiner, former reeve of Forest Hill Village. An inaugural meeting of the council is to be held on April 15.

Rapid progress is being made in the south to iron out the metropolitan area problems but there seems to be less progress among the representatives of the northern municipalities which will constitute the remainder of York county. The southern municipalities who form the new metropolitan area are already taking part in the work and planning which will set up their new government.

There is little heard about the northern government-to-be and it appears that some or all of the planning may be done by the "old" York County council which still includes representatives from the southern metropolitan municipalities. Is the planning for the north's future to be done by representatives from metropolitan municipalities? The rural representatives of the county are taking no part in metropolitan plans and there is no reason why the future of the rural county should not be guided by representatives from its component municipalities only. The southern representatives should be left out of the picture.

It would sound reasonable to suggest that the northern representatives should be meeting now to decide how roads are going to be financed and to iron out other problems. The final reading of Bill 80 will be passed by next fall and northern municipalities should be pondering early about what amendments are needed.

## Office Cat Reports Catnips By Ginger

Cuttin Corners will be holding two festivals this year. The first will commemorate the day the first milk route was started in the Corners on May 29, 1933. On May 29 this year Slim Bliggins, natural born primitive artist and editorial advisor, part time, will drive the first milk wagon to ply the streets of Cuttin Corners.

The second festival will be the "Pickled Thimbleberry" festival, to be held in July when a Miss Pickled Thimbleberry of 1953 will be chosen from a bevy of lovely young Cuttin Cornians.

Williams Rudolph Cursed Jr., in the Cuttin Corners Clarion Blast, published once every two weeks, writes that "pickled thimbleberries represent Cuttin Corners' greatest and fastest growing industry."

"Seventy-five percent of the pickled thimbleberries consumed in the province are grown and pickled within a nine-mile radius of Cuttin Corners," the Clarion Blast states.

In an editorial, William Rudolph Cursed Jr. writes that Cuttin Corners citizens had better be proud of their great industry. There will be a great and huge Pickled Thimbleberry Festival in July and it is the duty of all citizens of Cuttin Corners to get out and through the streets, muster feelings of civic pride which should burst from them in the form of loud and spontaneous cheers.

"When Miss Pickled Thimbleberry of 1953 rides down the street on Cuttin Corners' first

and original milk delivery wagon, a feeling of civic pride will be noted among the surging throngs of citizens who will realize what the community has in a local beauty and relic of by-gone days," the editorial goes on to say.

Cuttin Corners seems to be proud of its civic heritage but there also appears to be some doubt as to whether the pickled thimbleberry represents Cuttin Corners' most important industry or not. Twenty years ago, of course, illegal distillation was the thriving industry of the district.

A controversy has arisen in council, reports our Corner correspondent, Slim Bliggins.

"Although the thimbleberry is the emblem of East Thimbleberry township, Councillor Colin DeHoggs arose in a recent meeting of council and said that not pickled thimbleberries, but the famous bottled Fuzzy Waters was the most important product which contain secret qualities," writes Bliggins.

"Fuzzy Waters sales have been very low since the modern 'pop' has been brought on the market. In 1894 a bottling plant had been opened in the Corners and its product had advertised as a 'rejuvenator' but the company has never grown to be a very large organization. Council don't appear hasty in discriminating between local industries," Slim reports.

In spite of this controversy, it appears that the civic promotion association is going ahead with plans for the Pickled Thimbleberry Festival.

## The Top Six Inches by "Dairy Farmer"

Now that the sun is shining and the land is drying fast and the season seems just about four weeks early and maybe more, we are on the spot. If one goes ahead and does as the weather says, and then it turns cold and wet, as it will may, it would be not so good. If we don't do as the weather indicates, we may miss a golden opportunity that presents itself to get a head start, one that may not occur again for years.

It makes one wonder, what would farming and work on the farm be like if we had four to six weeks more of a growing season. Just let us suppose, for fun, that we could count on the first of April to be frost-free, roads all dried up, the sun shining and the land ready to drive on. It would mean pasture around the first of May and on some land, earlier. We could grow some more fall rye and have it top dressed in the spring and then have very early pasture.

Corn would be easy to grow and haying would be no problem and since we would be sure of three cuttings, we could keep more animals per acre of land or grow more cash crops per farm. Since we would have more time to do the work in the season, we could get along with implements of smaller value. All this would happen if we had a season that was four to six weeks longer.

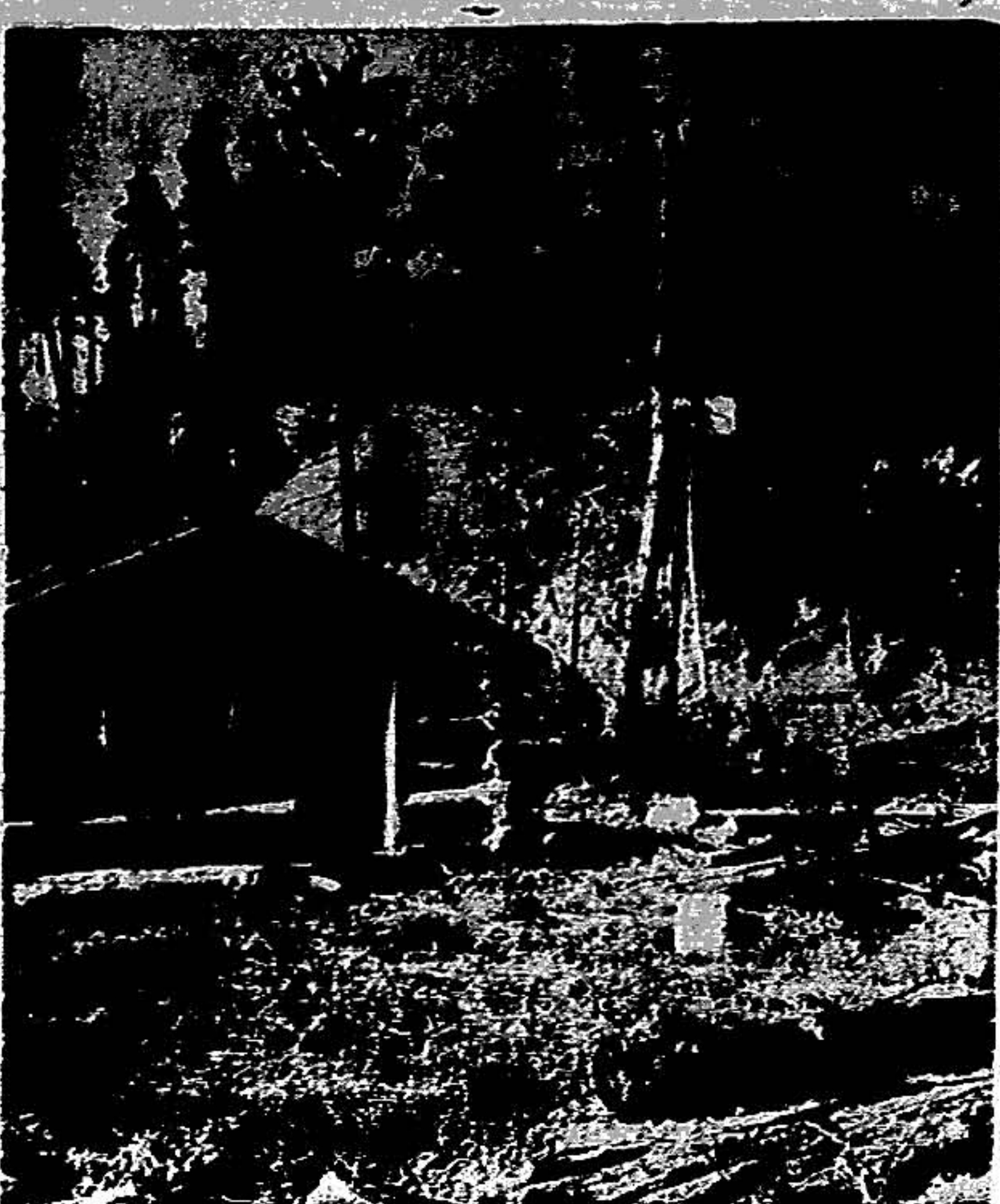
Well, we haven't got it and if this happens to be one, it is a freak and certainly the exception to the rule. But let us not forget that there are parts of this continent that are this way and let us remember that we have to compete with them for markets.

Well, that was a long stretch from a bit of sunshine out of season. But it is hard to deny that if there ever was a year when we needed this extra encouragement and help, this is the year when we do need it. As for ourselves, we will stick our neck out and forget what date it is and go by the weather.

### NAVY LEARNS HOW ARMY OPERATES



After an eight-day tour of Canadian army positions in Korea, three sailors from HMCS Crescent have decided that sleeping in a hammock in a destroyer at sea is more comfortable than a cot in an army tent. The first Canadian sailors to take the tour, the purpose of which is to familiarize the navy with how the army operates, the trio, after leaving their ship in Kure, Japan, were flown to Seoul, Korea, to the Princess Patricia's camp, where they spent four days learning about army life, then whisked to the artillery positions of the RCHA, where they spent another two days. A trip to a Canadian observation post at the front and a final two days back with the "Pats" in camp completed the trip. Above, A.B. Keith Bennett of Winnipeg is given lowdown on army by Don Mason of Victoria, B.C.



Only a few of the hundreds of careless people who start fires like this every year ever see the damage they do. Even if this hunter's cabin survives, it won't do future hunters much good; there'll be no hunting for years to come, nor any homes, newspapers or books made from those burning trees.

## From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

APRIL 6, 1928

After an absence of six months in the Old Country, Mr. Albert Rogers got back to Toronto on Sunday and was so much interested in the news of the fire in Newmarket that he phoned his sympathy with the Board of Trustees and offered on behalf of the Pickering College any assistance they could render in connection with school arrangements.

Mrs. F. H. Garrett entertained a number of ladies at bridge on Saturday afternoon, when four tables were in play. Mrs. Garrett was formerly Miss Thompson of Newmarket.

Miss Annie Tunney has purchased a house and lot situated on Park Ave., from Mr. David Soper of Mich., N.Y.

Miss Annie Knowles entertained the "Comrades Class" in the basement of the Christian church recently. About 60 were present and all report a jolly evening.

Dr. J. H. Wesley returned from New York on Sunday where he had a most interesting time studying the x-ray demonstrations and improvements in the several hospitals.

Mr. C. S. Lundy, BSc, son of Reeve and Mrs. F. A. Lundy, Queen St., has accepted a position as assistant engineer at the International Nickel Mines, Creighton, Ont.

Mrs. J. R. Teasdale and children of Kearney are spending the Easter holidays with her father, J. G. Muir.

Mr. Gordon Thompson of Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson, Park Ave., was home for the weekend.

Miss Estella M. Rose and Mr. J. W. Kellcher of Bathurst St., Toronto, were visiting over the weekend at Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Rose's, Millard Ave.

Mr. Gordon Hunter and bride of Montreal are spending Easter vacation with his parents.

Mrs. May Lamb of Goderich is spending a week or ten days with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Jackson.

APRIL 10, 1903

Mr. Judd Stephens of Bradford, who resided in Newmarket 20 years ago and was a member of the band, was in town yesterday and gave us a call.

Miss Mattie Watson of Toronto spent Tuesday night with the Misses Richardson, and attended the "Fad Party".

Arthur Thompson, son of Mr. Albert Thompson at the North End, fell through a hole in the snow at Mr. Sam Lundy's barn on Monday and sprained his wrist pretty badly.

One day last week, Mr. Simon Thompson of East Gwillimbury, father of Mr. George Thompson on Gorham Street, walked to Newmarket, a distance of 13 miles, and after remaining a couple of days walked home again. Mr. Thompson is in his 80th year.

Rev. Milton Colman and bride of Brampton were the guests of Mr. H. D. Harman on Tuesday.

Mr. George McDonald was home over Sunday and left on Tuesday for Winnipeg. He may go out to the coast.

Mrs. W. J. Readhead and two small children were visiting her sister, Mrs. Boden, Hartman, last week.

Miss Stella Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. W. Hunter, has returned to her home in Winnipeg.

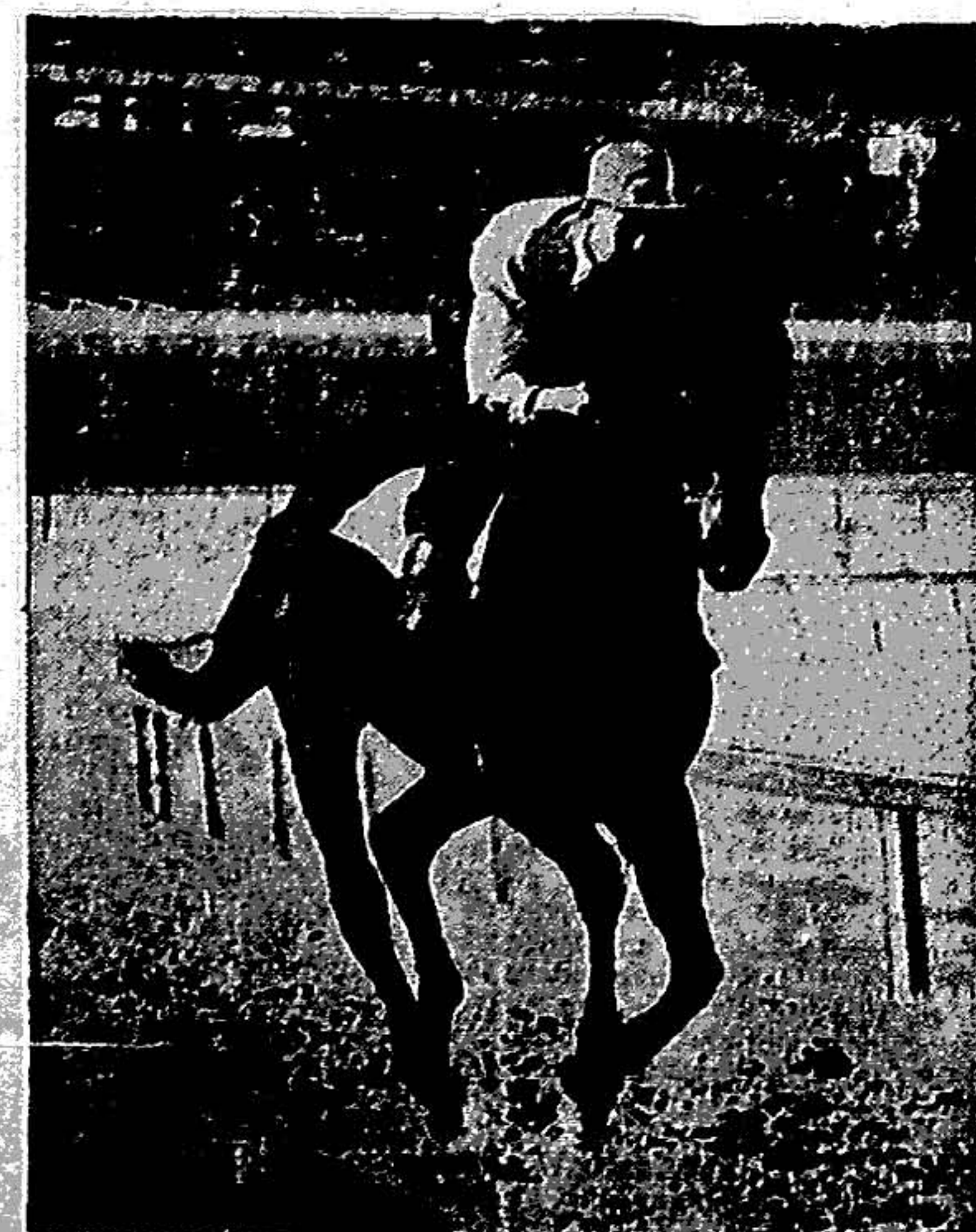
Mr. Wm. Huft of Sharon now occupies the Wesley farm on Gorham St., which he recently purchased.

Mrs. McDonagh is just getting around again after suffering from a sprained ankle for over three weeks.

Mrs. J. H. Forhan, principal of the Model School, has accepted a similar position at Rat Portage, with an increase in salary, to take effect after the summer holidays.

Farm produce was as follows: ducks, 70c to \$1; turkeys, 12c to 14c; but... 19c to 21c lb.; eggs 10c to 11c doz.; flour \$3.60 to \$4.00 per barrel; peas per bushel, 60c to 65c.

### WESTERN FILLY TRAINS FOR QUEEN'S PLATE



Virginia Fair, Western Canada juvenile champion of 1952, gallops over the frozen racing strip at Edmonton's Exhibition Grounds as she trains for the 94th renewal of the Queen's Plate at Toronto, May 24. The filly, which is owned by J. A. Charlesworth, Edmonton, is the West's main hope for Plate laurels.

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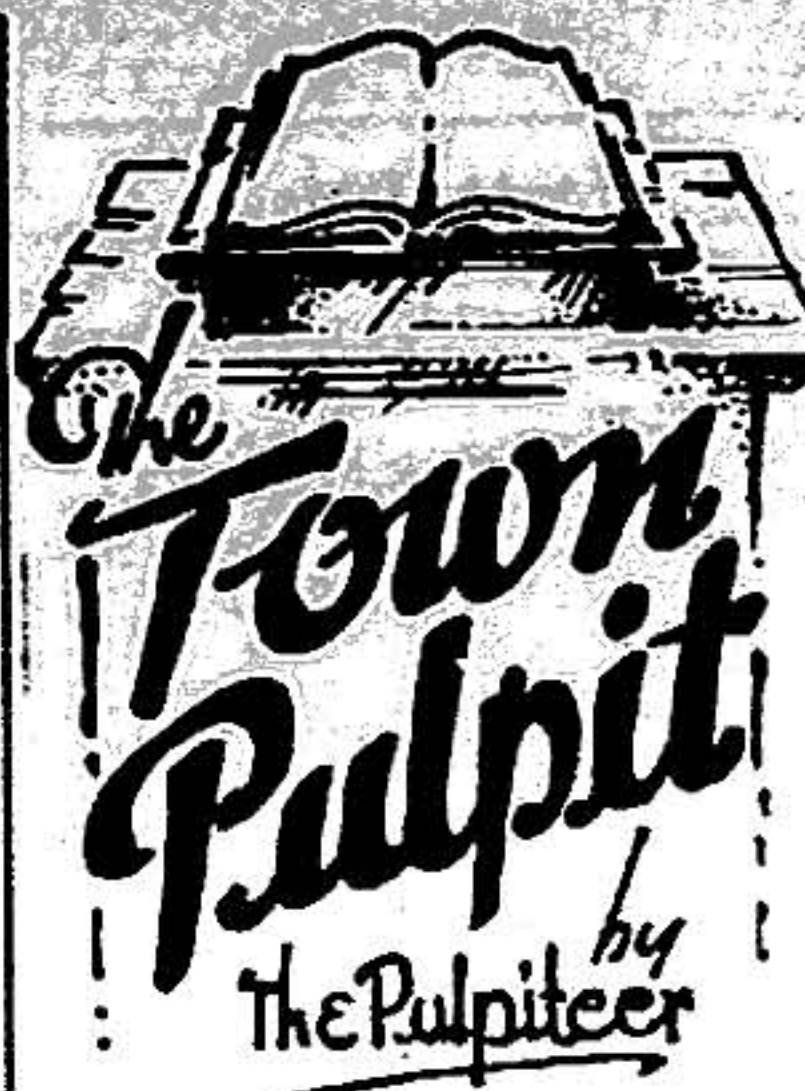
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The other day someone said to me, "What's the idea of having this Town Pulpit column in the paper?"

I answered very simply. I think I told him the truth. I replied something like this, "Well, my friend, one of the reasons for the column is that we believe that every department of our life should be affected by the religious. We believe that the world in general and the individual in particular would be much better if the Christ of the Scriptures had a chance to direct every day affairs of us. So we use this medium to present His claims upon our lives."

We preach Christ Himself, Christ yesterday, today and forever the same. Christ as Prophet, Priest and King. Christ in His humiliation and Christ in His glory. Christ as the Lamb foreordained before the foundation of the world; promised unto our first parents in the garden of Eden; witnessed by the law and the prophets. Christ announced and described with growing clearness and with ardent longing by the Prophets; Christ welcomed by the godly in Israel; Christ who in the fullness of time was sent; who of His own blessed accord and grace came to minister to others and lay down His life as a ransom; Christ who glorified God by His obedience and finally on the cross accomplished everlasting redemption. Christ, who is the Resurrection and the Life; who is now the Saviour of sinners, the strength and the hope of the saints; who will come again to fulfill the whole counsel of God and establish His kingdom.

Him we desire to declare (even by such a humble column as this) a Person, true man and yet true God, in whom we possess the Father and from whom we receive the Spirit; a Person so glorious that only the Scriptures can present Him to our mind, and only the Spirit by whom the Scriptures were given, can enable us to behold and trust Him.

For the ones and twos who wonder at the wisdom of such a column there are the hundreds who are being helped and who wait eagerly each week for this little word of inspiration. The Pulpiteer would feel his job well done if only one wayfaring soul received a little help along the pathway of life. Remember: The Saviour can solve every problem  
And the tangles of life can undo;  
There's nothing too hard for Jesus  
And nothing that He cannot do.

**CHILD STRUCK  
AT ISLAND GROVE**

Gary Bowers, 9, Georgetown, was struck by a car driven by Ernest E. Arnold, Toronto, as he came out of Payne's store at Island Grove last Sunday. At this point on the lakeshore road there is congestion on a busy day due to a car parking lot being on one side. Cars park outside their allotted space, near the store and near the government dock entrance.

Fortunately the boy was not seriously injured as Arnold's automobile was travelling slowly. His injuries included a couple of loosened teeth and a cut on his head. Mr. and Mrs. Bowers took their son home after Constable Grant Thompson had investigated and found the driver of the car was not to blame.

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## C.N.I.B. Director Special Speaker At Women's Association

David Lawley, National Field Director, Canadian National Institute for the Blind was the guest speaker at the April 2 meeting of the Women's Association, Trinity United church, Newmarket. Mrs. M. B. Seldon presided.

Mrs. Elman Campbell was in charge of the program and conducted the devotional program. Mrs. Campbell introduced Mr. Lawley. The guest speaker told of his organization of the blind services in Trinidad under the British government.

Mr. Lawley who lost his sight in 1913 had come to Canada from England the previous year. As a graduate mining engineer, Mr. Lawley was employed in a mine in British Columbia and it was in an accident at the mine that Mr. Lawley lost his sight.

Returning to England, Mr. Lawley worked for the National Institute for the Blind and came to Canada once again in 1927 where he has worked with the C.N.I.B. In the absence of Mr. McGill who is in Egypt under the UN to organize the blind services, Mr. Lawley is acting secretary for the C.N.I.B. in Ontario. In his talk, Mr. Lawley combined his Quaker background with a delightful sense of humour to present a most interesting address.

## Our readers write

Letters to the editor are always welcome but the names of the writers must be known to the editor.

Dear Editor: I asked a boy if he would join the King City Wrestling club. He replied that his mother would not let him. She is right if she thinks that our training is aimed at the standard of professional wrestling or any modification of it. Let me hasten to explain to those sharing the above belief, that an amateur wrestling club participates in a sport entirely different in methods and sportsmanship than professional wrestling.

It is only natural for a boy to want to develop himself physically and to be able to hold his own and compete with his fellows. This should be encouraged in the proper direction by a competent coach in a gym. In a wrestling club one learns by progressive exercises to endure unusual strains. No dangerous

The musical portion of the program was provided by the church organist, Norman Hurtle. Mr. Hurtle sang as his solo, "The Holy City", providing his own piano accompaniment.

## LADIES NAME OFFICERS

Keewick ladies softball club has beat the other district softball crews to the punch in organizing for the 1953 season. The election of officers for the coming season was held recently. Gord Hare was returned as coach and his running mate, Jack Munday, was re-engaged as manager. Grace Curtis was named club president and Ruth Mary Peters, secretary-treasurer. The genial secretary reports everybody is on the hunt for a snappy name for the team. Any suggestions? Send them along to the coach. Here's ours: "The Lake Shore Mermaids". (Ed. note.)

manouvers or holds are taught. With practise he learns to think what he is doing and a very important feature is that he gains emotional control of himself, learns to respect his opponents and benefits by better sportsmanship and manners. With a better developed body he has more confidence in himself; that helps him in other lines of endeavor. dangerous as other rugged. Amateur wrestling is not as sports. That is proved by the fact that since the King City Wrestling club started four years ago there has not been an accident. Mothers should take advantage of the opportunity of encouraging their sons to join the King City Wrestling club. Bob McLeod, Coach, King City Wrestling Club.

## HOUSE-TO-HOUSE TICKET SALES FOR CONCERT ON MAY 8

A house-to-house ticket blitz will be conducted on Friday, April 17, in the Newmarket district under the auspices of the Scout-Guide Mothers' auxiliary.

Boys and girls, members of the Newmarket Cubs, Scouts, Guides and Brownies, will call at homes in Newmarket to sell tickets for the concert being held in Trinity United church on Friday, May 8.

Proceeds from the concert will be used to renovate and re-decorate the Newmarket Scout hall, the meeting place for all groups in scouting and guiding in the community. The artists who are appearing in the concert under the auspices of the Scout-Guide Mothers' auxiliary are Isha Goodman, Elizabeth Beer and Terry Doane.

Convening the ticket-sale blitz is Mrs. C. E. Wheeland. She is assisted by Mrs. Bert Budd and Mrs. H. A. Jackson. Mrs. Alex Georgas is convening the concert.

## TENNIS MEETING APRIL 14

Here's glad tidings for all the tennis racket wielders. Keith Davis, North York's "Mr. Tennis", comes through with the infor-

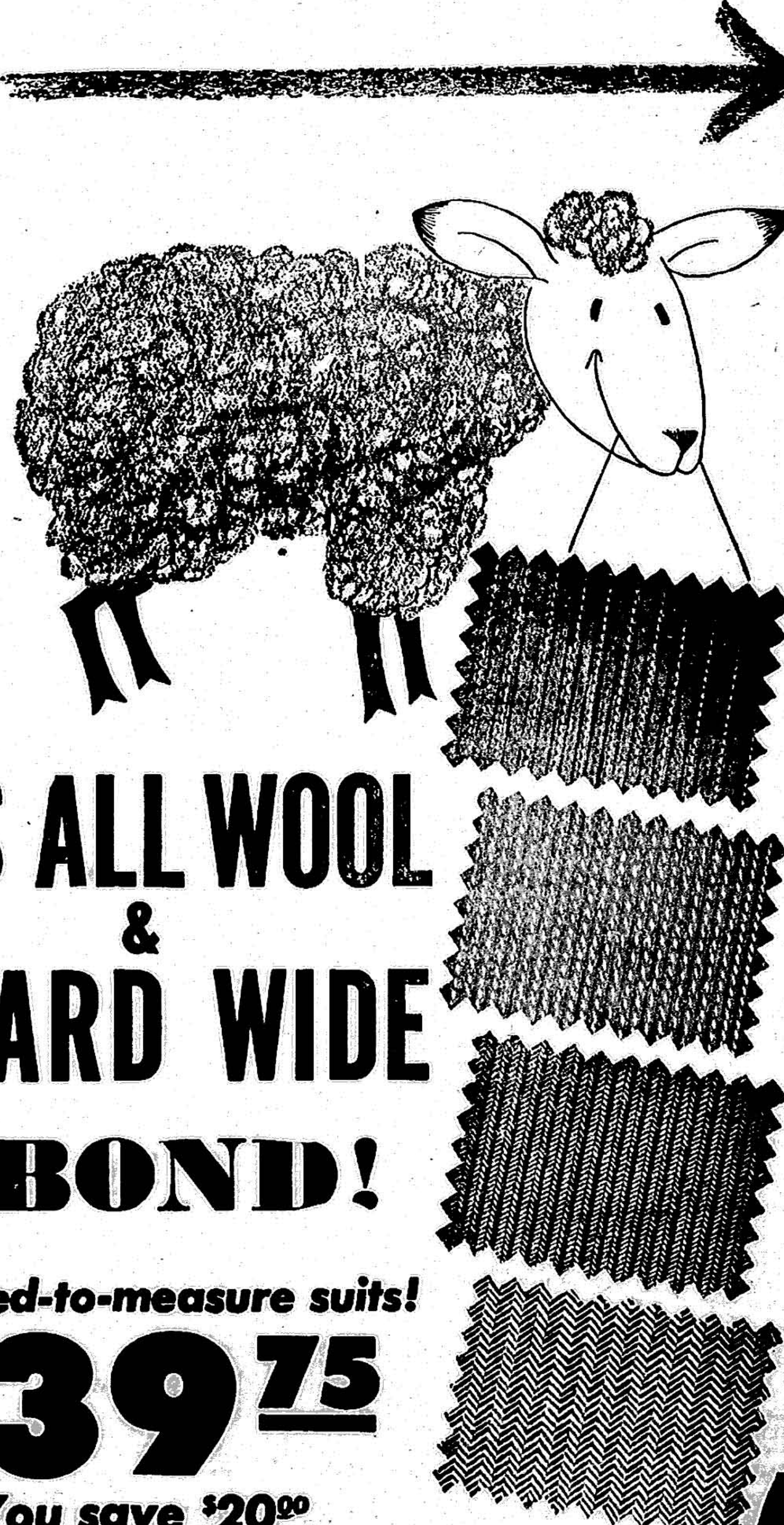
mation that the organization meeting of the Newmarket Tennis club for the 1953 season will be held at the club courts at 7 p.m., Tuesday, April 14. In the event of rain Tuesday, the meeting will be held over to Thursday, April 16, at the same hour.

Top on the agenda at the Tuesday meeting will be the election of officers for the 1953 season. Everybody interested in tennis or becoming a tennis player is asked to attend. Club officials hope for a big turn-out to get the 53 season away to a flying start.

## HOSPITAL TEA NEXT WEDNESDAY

Wednesday, April 15, is the date set by the York County hospital Women's auxiliary for a spring tea and bake sale. The place is the Firehall auditorium and tea will be served from 3 to 5:30 p.m.

Mrs. Frank Courtney is tea convener. The bake sale is under the direction of Mrs. W. R. Ballard and Mrs. R. Hilliard and Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards will convene a bazaar table featuring children's clothing and toys. The draw for the doll dressed by Mrs. E. Dobbie which has been on display in local stores will be held at this time.



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**GOOD brick house and 50 acres** land, at Holt. Close to school stores and paved highway. \$6,500. \$5,000 down. Phone Morgan Baker, King 3912. c1w15

**4-ROOM bungalow, winterized**, 1 mile south of Keswick. Price \$2,900. Terms. Phone Queensville 2127. c2w15

**5-ROOM house, new**, full basement, flowing well, modern kitchen. In Holland Landing, close to No. 11 highway, stores, church and school. Apply J. A. Duden, Holland Landing, after 5 p.m., all day Saturday. \*1w15

**7 ACRES** on highway in Keswick, about 1,000 ft. frontage. Phone Roche's Point 141j. c1w15

**REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**  
1-2 ACRE, 8-room house, good well, hydro. Possession. \$5,500. \$2,000 cash. c1w15

**5 ROOMS**, full basement, stucco, only a few years old. \$5,000. \$1,500 down. c1w15

**BOTH** these houses are in a village near Newmarket.

**CHARLES E. BOYD**  
REALTOR  
17 MAIN ST. NEWMARKET  
PHONE 533  
c1w15

**REAL ESTATE**  
FREE. One acre of land. Any one may have use of same for gardening and upkeep in Ballantray. Phone 1174, Newmarket. c1w15

**REAL ESTATE WANTED**  
BUNGALOW with conveniences, Newmarket or vicinity, would consider house requiring repairs, or small acreage. Forward full details to Era and Express box 398. \*3w13

**PROPERTY**  
OFFERS will be received for the purchase of a framed residence located on lot 32, con. 7, township of Whitby. May be seen by contacting Mr. E. C. Halliday, Cedar Valley, Ontario. Offers to be forwarded to Miss Hilda M. Meyrick, County Clerk, 67 Adelaide St. East, Toronto. c2w14

**WANTED**  
SMALL acreage property from \$3,000 to \$5,000. Contact Irene Middleton, Roche's Point 96, rep. A. G. Clarry, Broker. c1w15

**LOTS FOR SALE**  
EVANSLEA subdivision. Lots for sale. High elevation, 68'x50' frontage, excellent view and drainage, township controlled hydro, telephone, bus and milk service. Situated on west side of Sharon highway. Terms. No interest. Elgin Evans, phone 29712, Newmarket. \*6w15

**4 BUILDING** lots, on Penn Ave., south of Newmarket cemetery, approximately 50'x200' \$250 each. Phone 1388, Newmarket. c3w13

**THINKING ABOUT BUILDING A NEW HOME NOW OR IN THE FUTURE?**  
Protect your investment by locating on West Millard Avenue, new subdivision, sound restrictions. Terms arranged. Building lots ideally situated. Consult your local real estate broker or phone  
CROSSLAND FARMS,  
NO. 1044, NEWMARKET  
t1f8

**WANTED TO RENT**  
BUNGALOW with conveniences, Newmarket or vicinity, by reliable couple. Write Era and Express box 273. \*3w14

**HOUSE** in or near Newmarket, with or without conveniences. Phone 893m, Newmarket. \*1w15

**URGENT** 4-room unfurnished apartment or house, 2 Children ages 2 and 3 years. In Newmarket district. References can be given. For traveller representing hardware in Newmarket area. Apply Era and Express box 211. \*2w14

**APARTMENT FOR RENT**  
APARTMENT RENT FREE to reliable couple, heated 3-room apartment in exchange for care of elderly couple. Phone 1, Aurora. c1w15

**FURNISHED** apartment in King George Hotel, Newmarket. Apply at hotel. t1f3

**ROOM AND BOARD**  
WANTED. Room and board for elderly lady, slightly lame. Would need storage for a couple of trunks. Apply Era and Express box 312. \*1w15

**15 BOARDERS WANTED**  
CHILDREN wanted to board while mother works. From Monday to Friday, \$8 weekly. Phone 438w2, Newmarket. c1w15

**GENTLEMAN** preferred. Phone 645, Newmarket. c3w13

**ROOMS FOR RENT**  
3 or 4 lovely, bright rooms, partly furnished, all conveniences, bus and mail stop at door. Phone 2221, Queensville. c1w15

**ROOMS**, either furnished or unfurnished, or ground floor of house suitable for a reliable couple who would be willing to garden. Apply 9 Simcoe St. E., Newmarket. \*2w15

**WARM** front room. Housekeeping privileges. Close to bus line. Phone Newmarket 932m, after 5 p.m. c2w14

**ARTICLES FOR SALE**  
**UPHOLSTERING**  
Chesterfield suites expertly re-built and recovered. Free estimates, free pick-up and delivery. All work approved by the Dept. of Health, workmanship guaranteed.

**DYER'S FURNITURE**  
CALL 1250 NEWMARKET  
t1f8

**ICE** box, white enamel. Kitchen table and 4 chairs. Large size crib. Single bed, red maple, spring-filled mattress, perfectly clean. Phone 1353w, Newmarket. c1w15

**EASY** vacuum washing machine, in good condition. Electric heater hot water tank. Roll away cot and mattress. Phone 1380, Newmarket. c1w15

**SAVE \$\$\$ PLUMBING SUPPLIES**  
KITCHEN SINKS — BATHROOM SETS  
PORCELAIN enamel steel acid resisting sinks, three-piece bathroom sets, white or coloured — chrome fittings. Laundry tubs — shower cabinets, pressure water systems — oil burners — septic and oil tanks, air conditioning furnaces, convectors, radiators. Helpful installation diagrams in free catalogue. All shipments delivered, you pay no freight. Write or visit  
S. V. JOHNSON —  
PLUMBING SUPPLIES  
STREETSVILLE, ONTARIO  
c5w14

**STOCK REDUCING SALE**  
DONNACANA WALLBOARD  
Sheets 4' x 8' x 1/2" per sheet \$1.75  
per M. Ft. \$54.00  
AURORA BUILDING COMPANY  
70 Yonge St. S.,  
Aurora, Ontario  
\*2w14

**SLANT** front show case, 4 ft. long. 2 cash registers. Best's Drug store, phone 14, Newmarket. c1w15

**AWNINGS**  
Canvass or aluminum. 10 day delivery in Newmarket and district. Call  
**BARRIE TENT AND AWNING CO.**  
for an estimate. Phone Barrie 4314  
t1f5

**WHITE** enamel cookstove, good as new, reasonable. Kitchen cabinet. Phone 996r, Newmarket. c1w15

**PRINCESS** Pat coal and wood stove. At a bargain. Apply 36 Gorham St., Newmarket. c1w15

**OAK** dining suite, 6-piece breakfast suite; several china cabinets; pedestal bathroom basin; cedar chest; walnut desk; occasional chairs; cane-seated chairs; dressers; chests of drawers; coffee tables; buffets; large vases; garden urns; lawn mowers; chairs; radios; lamps; glass; electric table model range. Numerous other articles. F. Hirst, Queensville, phone 21116. c1w15

**USED** washer, good condition, used 8 months. Phone 1168 Newmarket. c1w15

**COOKSTOVE**, white enamel, good oven, in good condition. Apply 88 Prospect St., Newmarket. \*1w15

**NATIONAL** milk, 2 unit, in good working order. Apply Russell Brown, R.R. 1, Pefferlaw, 3 miles east of Baldwin. \*1w15

**2 WINDOWS**, 6' by 6'. Suitable for cottage or hot-house. Phone 1099, Newmarket. c1w15

**PAIR** roller skates, practically new. Lady's bicycle, tennis racket, man's weight, pair men's skis and harness, 7 ft.; record player and about 60 assorted records. All in good condition. Apply 54 Main St. or phone 605, Newmarket, evenings. c1w15

**LADY'S** spring coat, size 44. Lady's aqua coat, size 20. Child's pink coat and bonnet, 6 mos. 1 year. Fur neckpiece, brown. Child's red coat, size 14. These articles are in perfect condition. A real bargain. Phone 1045w, Newmarket. c1w15

**CURNEY** annex, burns wood or coal. New condition. Apply 2 Tecumseh St., Newmarket. \*2w15

**PRODUCE**  
MIXED hay, baled, \$18 per ton. Apply Inniscarra Farm, Newmarket. c1w15

**NO. 1 COOKING** potatoes at the new low price. 75 lb. bag \$1.25, 50 lb. bag \$1.05. Also quantity of table turnips. Bring your own containers. At 60c per bus. Also beets and onions. W. C. McCallum, Holland Landing, phone 678w3, Newmarket. c2w14

**DUCK** eggs. Howard Draper, 4th con., North Gwillimbury, at Keswick. \*3w14

**UNGRADED**, good, cooking potatoes. \$1 per bus. Please bring own container. Phone 1089j, Newmarket. t1f4

**CHOICE** quality potatoes. Katadhin variety. Also few Canso potatoes. H. E. Goode, Queensville, phone 21614. c3w13

**23 WORK WANTED**  
GARDENS ploughed, cultivated or disced. Reasonable rates. Phone 817j or 183w21, Newmarket. c1w15

**HAND** and power lawn mowers machine ground at Chappell's Repair Shop, Yonge and Eagle St., phone 202j3, Newmarket. Pick-up and deliver. c8w15

**LAWN** MOWERS SHARPENED PRECISION ground, the ideal way. Sharpening and repairs to all makes of mowers. Guaranteed. 30 years experience. Scissors ground on precision scissor grinder. W. Adams, phone 155, Newmarket. Pick-up and delivery. \*3w15

**ACCURATE** typist desires work to do at home. Phone 826, Newmarket. c1w15

**HAVE** your lawn mower sharpened by precision grinding, the modern way. Results guaranteed. Bill Watson, 32 Bercy St., Aurora. c2w15

**MIDDLE-AGED** woman wants housework in Newmarket, by day or week. Live out. Abstiners. Phone 1068w, Newmarket. \*2w15

**BULLDOZING** and grading, sand and gravel. See Bruce Sedore, 4 Elm St., or phone 1149w, Newmarket. c2w14

**BRODIE SITTING SERVICE**  
EXPERIENCED and mature baby-sitters available, day or evening. Weekend and weekly rates upon request. Phone 897m, Newmarket. c1w15

**HAVE** your garden renovated for spring planting. Rotavating makes a perfect seed bed. John Klees, 16 Maple St., Aurora, or phone 514w, Aurora. c4w12

**UPHOLSTERING**  
Chesterfield suites, occasional chairs, rebuilt, recovered in any fabric. Apply Ken Sargent, 85 Gorham St., or phone 382, Newmarket. t1f4

**Are you thinking of tiling your kitchen or bathroom floor?** If so, please call 1282, Newmarket, for free estimates for rubber, mastic, marbleum, jasper and plastic wall tile. R. J. Rundle and Son, 100 Andrew St., Newmarket. t1f4

**WANT** your radio repaired in a hurry and guaranteed? Phone Newmarket 1232. t1f4

**ENGLISH** trained nurse available by the week or day, or will make daily visits. Excellent references. Phone 1428m, Newmarket. t1f4

**HELP WANTED**  
EXPERIENCED farmer, to help on small farm. Apply W. R. Osler, R.R. 1, Newmarket, or phone Newmarket 29712. c1w15

**OPPORTUNITY**, 3 salesmen wanted with car. Full or part time. To represent reliable Canadian manufacturer. Example commission paid to three of our distributors last month.  
NO. A — \$1485.00  
NO. B — \$925.75  
NO. C — \$875.45  
Write Era and Express box 307. t1f5

**CASHIER**. Apply in person to Manager Roxy Theatre, Newmarket. c1w15

**SALESMAN** with car. Musical educational proposition. No musical knowledge necessary. Good commission and opportunity for the right person. Write Evelyn H. Dufoe, Gen. Del., Aurora. c1w15

**GARDENER**. Phone Newmarket 1346, after 7 p.m. \*1w15

**MARRIED** man with car to represent Canada's Largest Co. of its kind in Canada. Commissions and monthly bonuses average \$80 to \$127 per week. You can't miss on this opportunity. Apply J. Black, 1102 Glenrover Ave., Toronto. c1w15

**GIRLS** for snack bar. Part-time. Hilltop Lunch, phone 57914, Newmarket. c3w13

**WE** need a man for our sales force, to call on customers of nationally advertised food products in Newmarket. Sales experience not necessary and you need not invest any money. Apply by writing to F. Granger, 350 St. Roch Street, Montreal, Que. c1w15

**MARRIED** man for work on farm. Free house. To start around July 1. Write Era and Express box 316. c1w15

**FARM** operator, 25 acres marshy area, family man preferred. Newly built house and equipment supplied. Write box 323, Bradford. c1w15

**PERSONAL**  
HELEN: Why did you leave me? Please come back. I promise to be good to you. Jack. c1w15

**MERCHANDISE**  
PAINT. All remaining stock of paint from Green's General Store going at 75 cents per quart. Apply to Len Robb, King City, Ontario. c1w15

**USED APPLIANCES**  
1. MOFFAT, table model, electric range, 4 burner, in excellent condition.  
2. MOFFAT, table top, 4 burner, electric range, complete with timer etc., like new, real value.  
3. BEACH combination, electric and coal range, in very good condition, a real buy.  
4. GENERAL ELECTRIC, 3 burner apartment size range, very clean, a bargain.  
Assortment of reconditioned used ranges, ranging in price from \$25.00 to \$75.00

**REFRIGERATORS**  
1. SERVEL, electric refrigerator, approximately 11 cubic feet capacity, like new, still nearly 9 years warranty in effect, drastically reduced to sell.  
2. BABY Astral electric refrigerator, in very good condition.  
3. NORGE electric refrigerator, approximately 7 cubic feet, new unit, in excellent condition.

**GEER AND BYERS**  
NEWMARKET PHONE 1400  
c1w15

**USED CARS**  
1947 PONTIAC, 2-door sedan, original black finish, good condition. Priced for quick sale at \$995. Can be seen at 166 Main St., or phone 919j, Newmarket. c1w15

'40 BUICK special sedan, with radio, windshield washer, good tires and new, reconditioned motor. Phone King 41r3. c1w15

'31 ESSEX coupe, good condition, rumble seat. T. Collins, phone 57912, Newmarket. c2w15

1936 CHEVROLET car. Mr. A. Havinga, R.R. 2, Newmarket, or phone 1251j3, Bradford. c2w14

1941 CHEVROLET coach, clean. In A1 condition. \$495 or best offer. Write Era and Express box 317. \*1w15

1931 OLDSMOBILE sedan, in good running order, good body, tires and heater. A Roadman, phone 885w, Newmarket. \*1w15

1938 DODGE coach, good tires and motor, new license, good heater. Best offer for quick sale. Walter Curl, R.R. 1, Sutton West. c1w15

**SENSATIONAL OVER STOCKED USED CARS & TRUCKS MUST SELL**  
1952 MONARCH sports sedan, automatic air conditioning, heater and defroster, white side walls, 12,000 miles. Cash down \$975.  
1951 FORD custom tudor, heater, overdrive. A good clean car. Cash down \$575.  
1951 MONARCH club coupe, radio. Priced to sell. Cash down \$675.  
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1949 METEOR sedan, green. Cash down \$115.  
1946 MERCURY club coupe, A real snap. Cash down \$209.  
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Several cars priced from \$99. to \$375.  
Don't be fooled—Buy a car Price Right  
Good used trucks at Bargain Prices

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Ford Sales and Service  
Davis Dr., E., Newmarket  
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Open Evenings till 9 p.m. c1w15

1932 OLDSMOBILE convertible, in running condition, new license, 4 good tires, 2 spares. Car is on the road every day. Price \$109, cash. Phone 1051r, Newmarket. \*2w15

**USED TRUCKS**  
GOOD racks for 1-2 ton Ford truck. Glencloskey Farms, Queensville. \*1w15

**TRANSPORTATION**  
TRANSPORTATION available to Toronto. Leaving 7.30 a.m., returning around 5 p.m. Phone 343w, Newmarket. c1w15

**TRANSPORTATION WANTED**  
TRANSPORTATION badly needed to Toronto, Bay and Richmond district, for 2 girls. Working hours 8.30 to 4.30 p.m. Barbara Thompson, phone 14761, Newmarket, after 6 p.m. c1w15

**IMPLEMENTS FOR SALE**  
GEORGE White threshing machine, No. 6, 24x42, clover attachment, grain thrower, straw shredder, new, 100 ft. endless drive belt. Kilgilloit, Mill in No. 1 condition. McCormick Deering 8 ft. power grain blower, one man control, in good condition. Alfred Oliver, phone 21404, Queensville. c2w15

TRACTOR. Used, double disc. W. R. Chapman, phone 20520, Queensville. \*1w15

**FARM ITEMS**  
BALED, mixed hay for sale. Apply Charles Cowleson, Ravenna, shoe. c1w15

AJAX oats for sale. Commercial No. 1, cleaned and treated in new bags. Also quantity of feed turnips, 10c per bus. R. J. Pollock, Keswick, phone 92r22, Roche's Point. \*1w15

ROOT pulper for sale, \$12. Phone Roche's Point 141j. c1w15

QUANTITY of baled straw for sale. Priced right to sell. A. Lillholt, Sharon. \*1w15

APPROXIMATELY 200 bales grass hay for sale. About 120 bales second cut alfalfa also 7 weanling pigs. Ken Howard, phone 164w3, Newmarket. \*1w14

AJAX oats for sale. Good specimen. C. A. Cathers, phone Newmarket 467w1. \*3w14

75 TON good, mixed baled hay for sale. Apply Dan Baker, St. Michael's College Farm, phone 84r15, Aurora. c2w14

CLEANED and fertility tested seeds for sale. Alsike clover and Timothy. Also Buckwheat. Priced to sell. Williams Farms, R.R. 3, King, phone 95r6, Aurora. c2w14

SWEDEN turnips for feed for sale. Free from frost. Extra firm. 4' and under. \$3. per ton. No waiting. W. C. McCallum, Holland Landing, phone 678w3, Newmarket. \*2w14

AJAX oats for sale. Good quality. Phone 20909, Queensville. \*3w14

DEADSTOCK removed from your farm promptly for sanitary disposal. Telephone Collect: Newmarket 79 or Toronto Em 3-3636.  
GORDON YOUNG LIMITED  
\*52w2

**SEED FOR SALE**  
Registered No. 1 Clinton Oats, germination 98 per cent. Beaver Oats germination 99 per cent. Walter Proctor, R. R. 2, Newmarket. \*2w15

BARBOFF barley, No. 1 germination 100 percent. Beaver Oats, No. 1 germination 97 percent. Government graded, power-cleaned and treated. Mrs. Levi Weddel, phone 20604, Queensville. c2w14

**SOW TOP-GRADE SEED**  
REGISTERED No. 1 Beaver and No. 1 Ajax Beaver and Clinton Oats. Montclair and Barboff barley. Chanceller peas. Queensville Feed Mill, phone 3071, Queensville. c3w13

**28 - LIVESTOCK FOR SALE**  
JERSEY, ayrshire, fresh, polled Durham cow, due in May. Guernsey heifer, fresh in September. 4 Holstein heifers; 4 young cows all bred; vaccinated and sprayed for warble fly. Phone 141j, Roche's Point, or apply Mrs. A. Horachek, Roche's Point. c1w15

3 SOWS, bred January 28. From registered stock. John Outen, Holland Landing, after 5 p.m., all day Saturday. \*1w15

11 WEANED pigs. Phone 141w12, Newmarket. \*2w15

8 PIGS, 8 weeks old. Tamworth sow and 9 pigs. Purchased Hampshire boar, ready for service. L. W. Gilliam, phone 2602, Mount Albert. \*1w15

SOW, ready for breeding. Phone 713m12, Newmarket, after 5 p.m. c1w15

HORSE, 1,400 lbs., 8 years old, A. Reink, Cedar Valley. t1f5

3 REGISTERED New Hampshire shire horses serviceable age, \$60 each. 4 bare, black-faced ewes, 3 yearlings and 1 2-year-old, with each ram after Dec. 20, \$25 each. Ram, fresh. Walter Curl, R. R. 1, Sutton West. c1w15

BERKSHIRE sow, due April 15. Lloyd Halsdon, phone 20402, Queensville. \*1w15

**POULTRY EQUIPMENT**  
BROODER stove for sale. Oil, 500 capacity, new condition. Apply 81 Eagle St., or phone 1494, Newmarket. c1w15

**28A LIVESTOCK WANTED**  
Horses for milk feed. Highest prices paid. Rex Smith, Queensville, phone 1912 collect. t1f4

Horses for milk. Will call for with truck. Good cash prices paid. Frank Coleman, phone 1089j, Newmarket, or write P.O. box 25. t1f4

**POULTRY WANTED**  
ALL kinds of live poultry wanted. Any amount. We will pay you Toronto prices right at your door. Phone 657, Newmarket. t1f4

Live poultry Any quantity. Bring them in or will call on request. Highest prices paid. W. Appleton, Oak Ridge, phone King 91r14. t1f4

**ACCREDITED** Co-op chicks. We are offering \$1.00 per 100 discount on orders of 500 or more. If you cannot accommodate 500, get your neighbor to club in with you. Phone 479, Newmarket. t1f8

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DRY alabs, cut and delivered. Don Blizard, phone 202w2, Newmarket at noon or after 6 p.m. t1f5

DRY cedar wood, cut in stove length. Also cedar trees suitable for hedge. Apply Howard Walker, Zephyr, or phone 1920, Mount Albert. c1w15

STOVE wood. Mixed hardwood. Delivered. Phone 4210, Mount Albert. t1f4

**LUMBER FOR SALE**  
LUMBER, 2x4 and 1" lumber. Rough or dressed. Ed. Blizard's Sawmill, Eagle St., Newmarket. t1f4

**LOST**  
50 FT. rubber extension cord, picked up by mistake at the Business and Professional Fashion show. Kindly return to Miss Norine Ayers, 1 Bolton St., or 79 Eagle St., Newmarket. c1w15

**FOUND**  
BLACK Water Spaniel, full grown, male. Phone 579r1, Newmarket. c1w15

**PETS**  
2 FEMALE budgies, blue. Phone 297w1, Newmarket. \*1w15

PEKINESE puppies. Male, 2 months, most intelligent and beautiful pet. Come and see him and his brothers at 34 Pleasantview Ave., or phone 1070r, Newmarket. c2w15

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VIKING raspberry canes. Good stock. Phone 2371j, Newmarket. c1w15

MIXED Gladioli bulbs. 2 cents each or 100 for \$1.50. Mrs. Deans, Holland Landing, phone 438w13, Newmarket. \*3w14

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Thuna's Pink Tablets for the nose and throat, for the dropping of mucous discharge, sensation of the lump in the throat and other disturbances. These are the same reliable pink tablets that have been used for many years by adults and children with good results. Price \$1.00; \$1.75; \$2.50. The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. c1w15

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<b>SPECIAL!</b>			
<b>Rins</b>	LEE. 33c	GIANT 65c	
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<b>Bread &amp; Butter Pickles</b>	16-FL. 27c		
<b>SPECIAL! CHOICE HALVES OR SLICES</b>			
<b>Aylmer Peaches</b>	2 15-FL. 33c		
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<b>Wetheys Grape Jam</b>	24-FL. 33c
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<b>Wetheys Strawberry Jam Added Pectin</b>	24-FL. 39c
<b>Wetheys Pure Orange Marmalade</b>	24-FL. 29c

<b>Libbys Deep Brown Beans WITH PORK AND TOMATO SAUCE</b>	20-FL. 17c
<b>Tilbest Spice Cake Mix</b>	15-OZ. 35c
<b>Stokelys Fancy Tomato Juice</b>	2 20-FL. 25c
<b>Stokelys Fancy Corn</b>	2 15-FL. 29c
<b>Liptons Orange Pekoe Tea</b>	1/2-LB. 54c
<b>Vi-Tone FOR HOT or COLD DRINKS</b>	8-OZ. 44c
<b>Quaker Muffins</b>	2 PKG. 29c
<b>Maple Leaf Cheese PLAIN</b>	1/2-LB. 29c
<b>Kraft Cheese Slices</b>	8-SLICE 31c
<b>Monarch Margarine</b>	1-LB. 35c
<b>Appletorfs FOOD SAVER Wax Paper</b>	100-SQ. 34c
<b>Grimsby Sweet Mixed Pickles</b>	12-FL. 32c

**SAVE Fruits & Vegetables**

**Asparagus lb. 23c**

**BANANAS** POUND 19c  
**JUICE** 49c  
**ORANGES** 49c

<b>Oxo Cubes</b>	4-CUBE 15c	12-CUBE 29c
<b>Red Rose Orange Pekoe Tea</b>	1/2-LB. 61c	
<b>Old Cave Old Cheese</b>	1/2-LB. 32c	
<b>Loblaws Tangy Old White Cheese</b>	5-LB. 57c	
<b>Glen Valley Pork &amp; Beans</b>	5-LB. 50c	
<b>Peck Froams Digestive Biscuits</b>	1-1/2-LB. 25c	
<b>Royal City Choice Apples Halves</b>	15-FL. 24c	
<b>Gargano Extra Large Prunes</b>	1-LB. 29c	
<b>Land O'Clover Honey</b>	12-1/2-LB. 23c	
<b>Lyns Valley Green Beans</b>	2 1/2-LB. 29c	
<b>Lyns Pickled Onions</b>	2 1/2-LB. 35c	
<b>Dr. Ballard's Food</b>	2 1/2-LB. 25c	
<b>Face-Elle Tissues White</b>	240-SHEET 20c	
<b>Interlake Toilet Tissue</b>	2 70-SHEET 19c	
<b>Johnsons Jubilee Kitchen Wax</b>	2 1/2-LB. 75c	
<b>Kerowax Liquid Wax</b>	NO RUBBING WAX 48c	
<b>Tide</b>	GIANT 75c	
<b>Personal Ivory Soap</b>	3 CANS 19c	
<b>Vel</b>	1-LB. 38c	
<b>Colgate Beauty Soap</b>	2 1/2-LB. 17c	

<b>NEW SEASON'S CHOICE</b>		
<b>MILK FED VEAL</b>		
<b>Choice Leg Roasts</b>	1/2-HALF 1lb. 59c	
<b>Choice Rump Roasts</b>	KNUCKLE BONE OUT 1lb. 69c	
<b>Sirloin Butt Roasts</b>	Choice 1lb. 69c	
<b>Blade Roasts or Chops</b>	Choice 1lb. 59c	
<b>Shoulder Roasts or Chops</b>	Choice 1lb. 59c	
<b>Boneless &amp; Rolled Fronts</b>	Choice 1lb. 45c	
<b>Minced Veal</b>	FRESH "IDEAL FOR MEAT LOAF OR VEAL HAMBURGERS" 1lb. 49c	
<b>Minced Beef</b>	FRESH, LEAN, "IDEAL FOR MEAT LOAF OR HAMBURGERS" 1lb. 42c	
<b>PORK CUTS</b>		
<b>Lean Roasts</b>	1lb. 47c	
<b>Shoulder Roasts</b>	1lb. 35c	
<b>Butt Roasts</b>	1lb. 47c	
<b>FROSTED SEA FOODS</b>		
<b>Choice Cod Fillets Special</b>	1lb. 33c	
<b>Choice Haddock Fillets</b>	1lb. 49c	
<b>Choice Smoked Fillets</b>	1lb. 47c	
<b>Ocean Fresh Fillets Choice</b>	1lb. 47c	
<b>Choice Sole Fillets</b>	1lb. 62c	

## Officers Elected For Holstein Breeders' Club

The fourth annual meeting of the Toronto District Holstein Breeders' club was held on March 9 at its head office, one mile west of Maple.

Secretary-treasurer, Wilbert Jennings, gave a fine report, stating that the financial condition of the club was good, showing a healthy bank balance. The president's remarks were confined to past improvements and suggestions for improvements in the future.

Manager, Dr. C. R. Reeds, in his report, reviewed the past year, mentioning that 16 box stalls had been added in 1952 and more would have to be added again in the near future. The battery of bulls was increased during 1952. At the end of the year, there were in service 15 Holstein bulls, three dual purpose Shorthorns, three Scotch Shorthorns, three Herefords, three Jersey, two Guernsey and one Angus.

During 1952, some 25,914 cows were inseminated, showing an increase of 50 percent over 1951.

The officers elected for the coming year were: hon. pres., Archie Cameron; president, Stewart Chapman; vice-pres., Ray Clarkson; sec.-treas., Wilbert Jennings; directors, D. Wellesley, C. Henshaw and S. Ruthford; secretary-manager, Dr. C. R. Reeds.

## To Receive Gold Cord Certificate From Lt. Governor's Wife

Mrs. Louis Breithaupt, wife of the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario, has sent out invitations to members of the Canadian Girl Guides Association for Friday, April 10th, 1953. She will present certificates to 150 Guides who have earned Gold Cords during the past year.

This standing is the highest a Guide can achieve and must be completed before her seventeenth birthday. The ceremony will be held in the Lieutenant Governor's suite in the Parliament Buildings, Queen's Park, Toronto. These girls will come from every part of the province.

Miss Shirley Wass, 1st Newmarket Girl Guide Company, who won her Gold Cord this year will be attending the ceremony to receive her certificate.

## IT'S A Woman's World

By CAROLINE ION

Monday night was the culmination of many hours of preparation for the finance committee of the town council when the deputy-revee, Herb Gladman, as chairman of that committee, presented the 1953 budget.

The mill rate for the year was set at 64 mills.

Although this rate represents an increase of three mills over last year's, it is considerably better than many had thought possible when the original estimates of the various municipal departments were received. At that time the rate was over 70 mills.

In preparing the 1953 budget, an accurate report of the actual expenditures and receipts for 1952 are presented to the finance committee by the town clerk, Wesley Brooks. At about the same time, six to eight weeks before the budget meetings are to be called, the departments which make up the municipal government of the town are requested to present an estimate of their needs for the coming year.

In these departmental reports which are requested from the public school, separate school and high school boards; arena and recreation commissions; roads and bridges committee, police and fire committees, are listed both the estimated revenues and expenditures for the coming year. Sometimes, these costs are fixed, as in the rental of a building, fuel costs or grants.

Most frequently the members of the department concerned must determine what work they wish to accomplish in 1953, what monies they will bring into the town purse and, from these, with the addition of what they will request the tax payer to contribute, a balance is reached.

An identical situation could exist in a family where in the spring each member is asked to prepare a personal budget to present to the family comptroller. Each member on the credit side would list his earnings, balance or surplus from last year and on the debit side, would record all the necessities and luxuries he wanted for the coming year. To balance the gap between the one and the other, a sum of money from the family treasury would need to be added to his receipts.

There are a few families in such a financial position that they are able to do this. In most instances, it is a necessity to plan large expenditures and to space them. If one child wants and needs a complete spring outfit, the bicycle must wait. If one member of the family must undergo surgery, the purchase of the latest model car is postponed.

The same holds true when the sums of money involved are in the hundreds of thousands as managed by council rather than the smaller incomes of individual families. The finance committee must meet and consider each item on the prepared statements. To be able to do all that each department has planned, it would require a raise in the mill rate to over 70 mills. In view of that situation, are certain expenses warranted? The figures are studied. A few hundred dollars are slashed from one amount. Two thousand is taken from another.

On closer observation, it might be felt that the estimate of expected revenues has been too optimistic. It must be lowered. And through many meetings, the finance committee gradually brings the budget within the realm of possibility.

The recommendations are returned to the departments. Perhaps, as happened in this budget, they find that it is necessary to increase the amount allotted for protection to persons and property by approximately \$4,000, the equivalent of one mill, or education by the same amount. Then something else must be cut a corresponding amount or, where this is impossible, an increase in the mill rate results.

No council wants to present a budget which will necessitate a great increase in the mill rate over the previous year. Perhaps this is the Achilles heel for councils. In their reluctance to present an unpopular budget, they may neglect necessary and essential work.

There are many examples of such lack of foresight. Such an instance was when the roads and sidewalks were allowed to deteriorate. The failure to make the timely repairs, to admit that such work was necessary has made the task of succeeding councils more difficult.

It is no easy decision for any group of citizens to make when they, acting as the council, speak for all the taxpayers of the community. Only by accepting their responsibilities, not only to the present, but to the future of the town can any council feel that it is fulfilling its duty.

**CONFIRMATION**  
Confirmation will be conducted at St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket, on Thursday, April 10, at 8 p.m., by the Right Rev. A. B. Beverley, M.A., D.D., Bishop of Toronto.

There will be the dedication of the complete set of dorsal curtains, frontals and book marks. These hangings which mark the seasons of the church year were made by members of the Chancel Guild. Following the service, a reception will be held in the parish hall.

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## Newmarket Social News

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andrews and children, Toronto, visited one day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews.

—Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Reaman, Guelph, accompanied by their daughter, Elaine, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Maitland.

—Gilman Spencer, Queensville, visited on Easter Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Bull.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fahey and Rodney Windsor, spent the Easter weekend in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall and E. M. Fahey.

—Jim Eves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Eves, is spending his Easter holidays with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunt, Toronto.

—Miss Norine Ayers returned from Drummondville, where she spent her Easter holidays with Mrs. W. J. Beard and Misses Bertha and Ethel Beard.

—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cliff and family, Falconbridge, spent the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morton and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perrin returned on Monday from St. Petersburg, Florida, where they had spent the past three months.

—Miss Mary Lou Little, Toronto, is spending her Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Little.

—Mrs. T. A. Mitchell left on Monday night for a three-weeks holiday trip to Hollywood, Cal., where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Schultz.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dunn and two children, Detroit, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perrin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Reid Atkinson spent the holiday weekend in Windsor, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Smith.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunt, Toronto, spent Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Eves.

—Mrs. T. E. Henstock and daughter, Anne, Whitby, are spending the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Day.

—Mrs. Norman Woon, South Porcupine, was a recent visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall.

—Misses Elva and Osta Rawn and Wayne Carr, Huntsville, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Bull on Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John LeBar and daughter, Gail, Toronto, were dinner guests on Easter Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lundy.

—Bert Varracough and Ian Johnson, Toronto, were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson and family.

—Miss Muriel Cowie, Oshawa, was a weekend guest at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spence and son, Brian, Toronto, spent Good Friday with Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Bull.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stickland, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lundy.

—Mr. and Mrs. David Sherker and baby son, David Gibson, Toronto, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gibson.

—Mrs. Jack Trelford, Southampton, and Miss Iva Rye, Newmarket, spent Easter weekend in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gilkes spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Campbell, Hamilton, and motored to Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

—Mrs. Jean Lawrence, Detroit, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ethel Willoughby, and nephew, John C. Willoughby, at the King George hotel.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Robertson and little son, Brian, spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Robertson's mother, Mrs. R. W. Jones.

—Master Ernie Hartling, Peterborough, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaParde over the Easter weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jones, Toronto, spent Good Friday with their mother, Mrs. R. W. Jones.

—Mrs. J. E. Cox and family of Kingston are spending the Easter week with Mrs. Al Smith and Mrs. W. McClymont.

—Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith spent the Easter weekend with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. J. E. Cox, and family, Kingston.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Devlin and daughter, Shirley, Toronto, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Smart.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Evans, Bogartown, are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary today. They will be at home to their friends and neighbors from 3 to 5 and from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. today.

—Misses Patricia Duncan, Miriam Ryman and Anne Batulas are in Florida for the Easter holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill and Bert Osman, Beamsville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cryderman over the weekend.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Wrightman received a telegram from their son Leonard and family, of Kapuskasing, sending Easter greetings.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill and family and Mr. Bert Osman, Beamsville, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wrightman. Mrs. Hill and children stayed over for a few days and Mr. W. Wrightman returned to Beamsville with his daughter, Mrs. Hill, for a short visit.

—Misses Elva and Osta Rawn and Wayne Carr, Huntsville, spent a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Gibbons last week.

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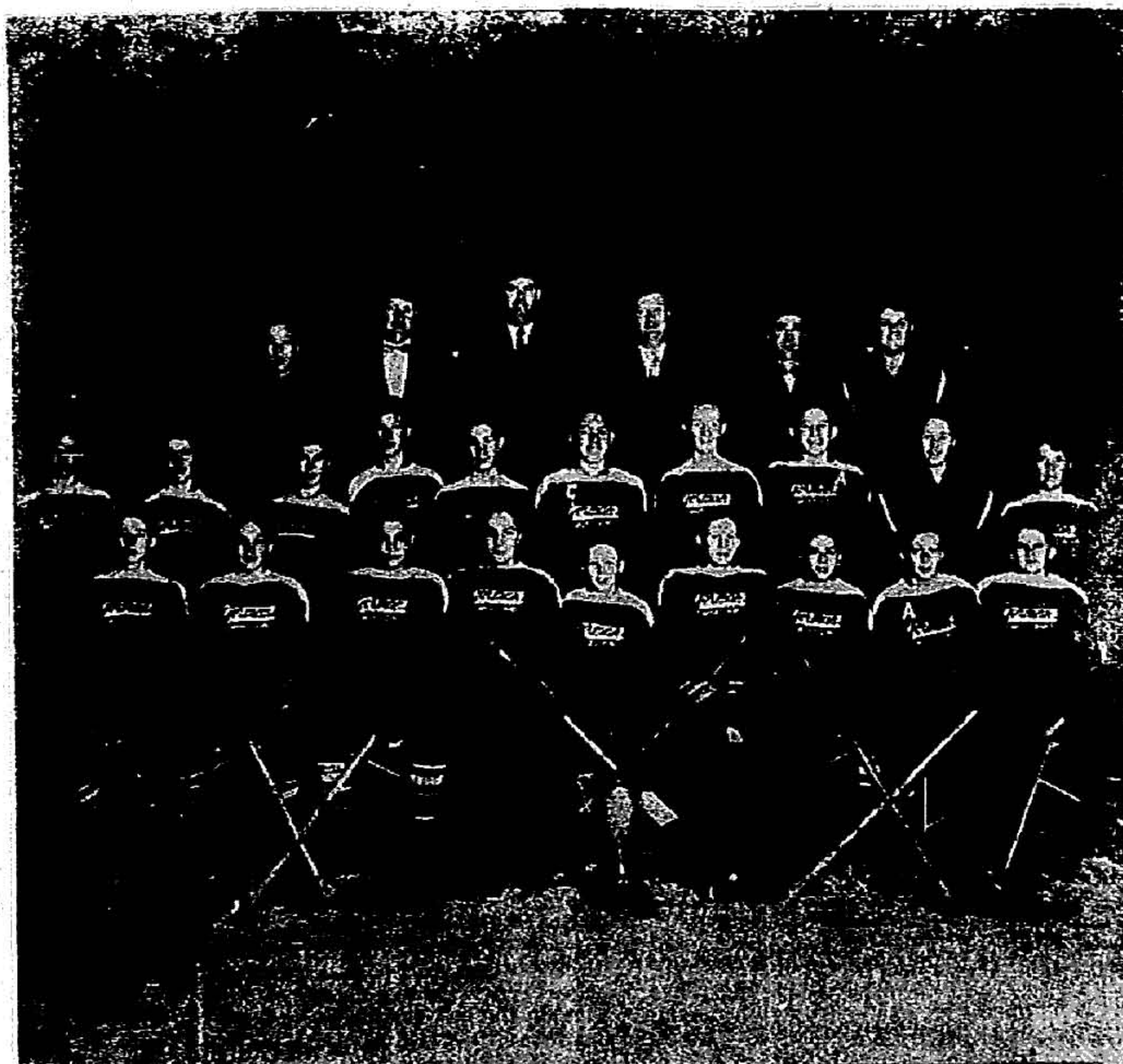
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# WELL DONE, KIDS!



Mainstays of the Gorman Smoke Rings' defensive ring, Don Zogalo, Larry Proctor, Lorne Babcock.



Here are Newmarket's first OMHA champions, the Gorman Smoke Rings. After a three tie game series with Goderich Lions, Smoke Rings won a 5 - 3 victory at Goderich to bring Newmarket its first OMHA title. Back row, 1. to r. Bill Bellar, Geo. Haskett, Peter Gorman (sponsor), Frank Hollingsworth (coach), Raymond Croutch (manager), Bradley Walker (trainer). Middle row, 1. to r. Barry Cook, Wayne Spence, Dan Patrick, Jack Brooks, Jim McArthur, Lorne Babcock, Don Zogalo, Francis Lewis, Grant Kitching, Don Bone. Front row, 1. to r. Howard Brice, Ken Cassavoy, Bob Keffer, John McGuire, Wayne Croutch (mascot), Larry Proctor, Geo. Robertson, Brian Million, Ron Egan.

The cup won by the Gorman Smoke Rings is the A. A. Morrison Trophy, emblematic of Ontario Minor Hockey Association Bantam B championship. Last year's champions were Otonabee and previous to that Port Colborne, Woodstock, Crowland, Preston, Midland and Chatsworth, were the yearly holders. The bantams deserve the congratulations of the entire town of Newmarket and here we say "Well done, Champs!"



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**HASHMAN AWARD**

**Waller For Coaching**

Probably the best record of any team in the North York Minor Hockey leagues was that compiled by Newmarket Optimist midgets. Over the regular season and playoff campaigning they won 25 games and lost one. Quite a record don't you agree? Of course with that record they breezed home as North York Midget Hockey league champions. So congratulations are extended to the team, coach Lowell Waller, manager Ken Stephens, transportation man Ken Russell and the sponsors, Newmarket Optimist Club.

Your Hashman feels he can't let the occasion slide by without naming Lowell Waller as Hashman award winner and Romy Theatre pass recipient. Lowell did a grand coaching job. The point that always struck us was that he didn't stand for any nonsense. He told his players what he wanted - they went out and did it - if they didn't, they heard about it. Another point Coach Waller stressed was the fact that they were a hockey team and must operate as a unit to win hockey games. The record of the Optimist midgets proves he got across his points.

**Mount A. Wins First Final**

Kettleby and Mount Albert opened the two-game, goals-to-count, town league finals Tuesday. Judging from Tuesday's display, Kettleby have their work cut out for them if they plan to gather in the league crown. Mount Albert trimmed the Terry-Hodgson clan 7-2 Tuesday.

There were two fisticuffing bouts Tuesday and the one led directly to the Kettleby fall. It was after a free skating first period in which both teams picked up a gift goal. Skip Taylor poked in the one for Mount on John Leary's pass.

Don Marchant, with aid from Ralph Rose and Harry Lostchuk, matched it for Kettleby. Then came the first blow at 11:11 of the second period. By this time Mount led 2-1 on the strength of Ken Davie's goal, John Leary making the Davie effort possible with his goal mouth set-up pass.

Like we said there was a big blow up, main participants were Combines' Harry Lostchuk and Mountie man Bill Brett. It was a real dandy and referee Harry Gibney sorted it 7 minutes for

Lostchuk (2 for interference, 5 for fighting) and two minutes to Brett for roughing.

As soon as Brett returned to the ice and Kettleby were still a man short, that was the sign for Ken Davie to get rolling. In 78 seconds Davie ran in three goals, the first from John Leary, the second from Bruce Paisley and the third unassisted.

That meant Mount were 5-1 leaders. Ken Davie made it 6-1 and completed a five-goal night early in the third when he pushed in a relay from Bill Brett and Bruce Paisley.

Doug Terry and Skip Taylor were the main busters in the other blow-up and while they were sitting out five minute stretches, both teams poked in a goal to complete the scoring picture. Ron Hodgson whipped in a back handler after accepting a pass from Harry Lostchuk. That Kettleby goal came at 15:24 and it took Mount just 27 seconds to get it back as Bill Brett slapped in a John Leary feed-pass. That final goal re-established Mount's five goal edge and left the score-board reading 7-2.

**Markham Defeats Sutton**

With approximately 900 Sutton-Newmarket and district faithful on deck to watch their demise, Ellis Pringle's Sutton Green-shirts dropped a 13-3 decision to Markham Eagles at the Newmarket arena Monday night. The loss meant the end of the Green-shirts' O.R.H.A. senior playoff ambitions as Markham capped the best of seven semi-final series four games to one.

The Markies, boasting several of last year's Stouffville Clippers on their roster, had too much offensive spark for the Green-shirts to cope with. Green-shirts hit the down-and-out trail in round one as Markham ran in five unanswered goals and further embarrassed the Green-shirts with another five in the final 20 minutes as they made it a rout.

Sutton supporters got their biggest chance to clap hands in the middle period as Bill Brett lined up two scoring plays. Pass supplier on number one was Johnny Leary and on number two, Green-shirts' deluxe penalty killer Ralph Griffith was the assist man. Skip Taylor found a corner pocket with his shot from the boards to complete the Green-shirts' scoring. Keith Dunn stabbed up over the Markies' blue-line on one of his rink long gallops to make Taylor's kill shot possible.

Markham's big four scorers were Jack Blake with three, Jack Rummy, Moe Petch and Bun Sellers with two goals each.

Sutton: T. Flaherty, K. Dunn, S. Beattie, C. Cole, C. Brady, J. Leary, G. Holborn, S. Taylor, E. Brett, R. Griffith, T. Anderson, L. Bilton, F. Taylor.

**Aurora Rotary Wins First Of Bantam Finals**

Bill Mundell's Aurora Rotary and Geo. Cooke's Woodbridge Red and Whites kicked off on their series for the North York Bantam hockey league title Saturday in the Woodbridge arena. It's a home and home, goals to count, title series.

Despite a long lay-off, both teams came up with a good hockey show in the series opener. Bill Mundell's small fry hockey brigade picked up a goal lead to carry into game two of the series when they scored a 4-3 win over Woodbridge. The second game will be played in Aurora tonight (Thursday) at 8 chimes.

Jack Brooks set the scoring pace for Aurora with a two goal sniping effort. Ron Egan and Charles Vrana scored the other Aurora counters.

Murray Armstrong with two goals was Woodbridge leader while Jim Hayward potted a single tally to complete the Bridgers' scoring.

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**REGENTS KNOCKED OUT**

Newmarket Regents faded from the Newmarket and District play-downs and Mount Albert qualified to meet Kettleby in the league finals Tuesday when the Mounties racked up a 5-2 win over the Regents. Tuesday's game was the fifth and deciding game in the Regents-Mount semi-final set.

Murray Edgar's men scored three first and two third period goals to oust the Regents.

Ken Davie was the main Regent killer. Davie turned in a hat trick job and gained an assist on John Leary's Mountie start-off tally. Keith Dunn provided the Mounties' other scoring play, converting Swiftly Todd's pass into number five on the Mounties' list.

Murray MacDonald gave the Towners their start. It was first goal of the game, in fact at 4:05 of the first period, Laurie Thoms and Normie Legge rating assists. Cliff Gunn hooked onto Deb Cooper's pass at the eight minute mark of the second period for the Towners' other tally.

That goal sliced the Mount Albert edge to 3-2 but the Mounties had that extra oomph around the Bill Ingram guarded bastion in the final period to wrap up the decision.

Towners put up quite a scrap before leaving. After trailing in the series 2-0 they came off the floor to tie it. Regents were coached by Father T. J. McCabe and Herb Cain; manager is Mel Stickwood.

**Ditch Diggers Win Aurora League Crown**

Mickey Sutton's Ditch Diggers wound up a huge winning season when they defeated Victory Flyers 6-5 Thursday in the Aurora arena in the third game of the Aurora Town League finals.

That win gave the Ditch Diggers the series in three straight and they now rule the roost as town league champions.

Diggermen had to work a little harder than usual in this one to come out on top. Earl MacDonald was the Diggers' scoring pace setter with two goals. Diggers one-goal men were Tracy Barrager, Jim Greenslade, Ken Wright and Harold Stephenson.

Bill Bennett marked up two goals to lead the Flyers' snipers. Arnie DeBoc, Ed Tidman and Dave Richardson completed the hard trying Flyers' scoring.

**JUVENILES TONIGHT**

Arena doors will close Saturday night for the hockey-skating season. Tonight (Thursday) the second game in the best of three series for the North York Juvenile Hockey league title between Newmarket Specialties and Richmond Hill Rose Kings will hold the stage. Game time is 8 p.m. Newmarket won game one and needs a victory tonight to claim the crown. The arena program will close with public skating Friday and Saturday evenings.

**Down The Centre by Ab Hulse**

In retrospect: 25 years ago, Newmarket Intermediates went to the semi-finals of the O.H.A. intermediate series being defeated by Kitchener 6-5 on the round, in a three game series, the third game being played at Galt. Port Colborne subsequently bested Kitchener.

Can't recall the whole team but if we remember, it included Fred Thompson, Shorty Turan, Bill Epworth, Dick Hugo, Son Townsley, Chuck Thoms, Reg Corbett, Lunc Murray, Lou Bovair, among others. The same year Newmarket juniors reached the O.H.A. finals, losing out to Marlborough 4-3 on the round. The Redmen had Doc Ames, Scrooge Perrault, Ellis Pringle, Bill Thoms, Doug Marshall, Fred Murray, Lynn Waller, Dodger Collings, Bruce Trivett and Babe Teasdale on the line-up.

Twenty years ago this week the folks in Canaltown were celebrating the winning of the Eastern Junior championship taking Ottawa Shamrocks and having a close series won over Montreal Royals. On April 12, 1933 the Redmen won the Memorial Cup in the concluding game with Regina Pats. The names of the winners are still inscribed in the memory corner: Ran Fordor, Sparky Vall, Silver Doran, Normie Mann, Pep Kelly, Howie Peterson, Red McArthur, Chief Huggins, Don Willson, Gar Preston, Mac Ogilvie and Aub Marshall.

What a celebration!

Fifteen years ago, Aurora juniors lost out to Orangeville in the junior "C" finals at Maple Leaf Gardens, a series they might have won. Charlie Rowntree had Pat James, Turk Ferguson, Scotty Mair, Bill Wilson, Wib Preston, Shorty Graham, Joint McComb, Shorty Wrightman, Mutt Collings, Joe McGhee and Joe Tunney.

Ten years ago, Aurora Army took the Intermediate A championship with a team that was really packed: Bobby Lynn, Joint McComb, George Rothwell, Herb Farley, Jack Stafford, Bert Turney, Ed Malcheske, Jack Culverwell, Al Shill, Gordy Shill, Gordy DeLaat, Bunny Glover, Hal Mooney, Briggs Creighton,

Chuck McCarthy, and Bill Smith present trainer of the Toronto Baseball club in charge.

That's as far as we'll come to the present. The last ten years speak for themselves but as a matter of record, Aurora Lions Midgets, Newmarket Smokies, Schomberg Bantams, Bolton Juniors, Stouffville Clippers, Sutton Green-shirts in rural, have all won fame for their municipalities. Championships are not won in a single year. They take time, effort, and money. As the ice goes out of most district arenas next week, 'tis well to have a look at the past, and then think of next year.

**Play-off parade:** Quite a few familiar faces are still engaged in the hockey whirl. Grant Green who came to Aurora from Lindsay and whose career was interrupted by an injury when he was with Aurora Hawks in 1950, is holding a regular defence post for Red Mitchell and his Lindsay club who are down to Collingwood in the "A" intermediate semi-finals.

Folly Minton, of Stouffville Clippers is scintillating for Frigidaires who are leading the East York mercantile finals. Ronnie Rowe ex-Markham junior and Sutton basealler is leading Bracebridge Bears to the final round of the intermediate "B" series. Pete Hudson, burly Midland defenceman, has been aiding Collingwood Shirts in the junior "C" finals as a replacement for the late Bob Gillies. The Shirts would have preferred to have Jimmy Johnston of Midland, but he's gone sailing for the summer months.

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 by Elmer Ferguson

It was 20 years ago, around two o'clock on the morning of April 4, 1933, that the smallest player in modern National Hockey League history, darted past the big defensive out-posts, and whistled home the goal that ended the longest game played in organized hockey up to that time—a 1-0 victory for Toronto Leafs, over Boston Bruins in a Stanley Cup play-down series final, after 106 minutes, 46 seconds of extra time, with the sixth overtime period underway.

There has since been no longer game, the epic 1-0 battle between Montreal Maroons and Detroit Red Wings, that lasted until 2:25 o'clock on the morning of March 25, 1936, when the teams battled 116 minutes 30 seconds of overtime before the Red Wings won. But for sheer drama, for a story-book finish that no Hollywood script writer could excel, that long 1933 struggle packed the most spine-tingling finish of any such marathon duel, in any sport.

For tiny Doraty, who stood little more than 5 feet 6 inches in height, carried only 132 pounds on his diminutive frame, the smallest player in the league, was the pygmy who broke up the battle.

Dozens of scoring thrusts had failed to pierce the armour of Tiny Thompson in the Boston nets, and dozens more had been foiled by Lorne Chabot, Toronto custodian, when Lanky Andy Blair teamed with the tiny Doraty to post the game's only goal.

The sixth overtime period had started when Blair was sent to pay special attention to the great Eddie Shore, pivot of the Bruin offensive corps. The former University of Manitoba star checked the great defenceman twice as he tried to break away. On his third attempt Shore batted the puck ahead of him—right on Blair's stick.

In two long strides Andy crossed the blue-line into Bruin territory. He sidestepped Shore, and as the Boston rear-guard swung around to jab at the puck, Blair shot it ahead to Doraty, streaking for the net. The winger nailed it in his stride and skated in on Thompson to fire into a corner of the net.

Varied proposals to end the game after 100 minutes overtime had been played failed. The players were so tired and attacks lacked steam to a degree when President Frank Calder of the N.H.L. asked managers Art Ross of Boston and Conny Smythe of Toronto to flip a coin and decide the issue. Both refused. Then Calder suggested the goal-tenders be taken out of the game to facilitate scoring the winning goal. The managers couldn't see that idea.

"To a finish" was finally ruled. And the finish came with dramatic impact just four minutes and 46 seconds after resumption of play.

Your comments and suggestions for this column will be welcomed by Elmer Ferguson, c/o Calvert House, 431 Yonge St., Toronto.

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## J. G. SINCLAIR, Editor

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THURSDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF APRIL, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-AND FIFTY-THREE

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## EDITORIALS

### DISCRIMINATION

When the Aurora Banner went off on another of its promotional stunts and claimed that the chicken business had become the leading industry in Aurora and district, we corrected that false impression. Mr. John Sisman, vice-president of the Sisman Shoe company, followed on by an address to the Aurora Rotary club in which he gave facts and figures which proved how necessary our correction of the Banner was.

We were not belittling the chicken industry. All we were doing was to try and maintain a sense of proportion in relation to Aurora industries. The danger of discriminating in favor of any one particular industry is that it presents a probable erroneous picture of the economic life of the community concerned. Consequently more damage than good is likely to result from such promotional adventures.

Some years ago when we undertook the agreeable task of writing up the industries in Aurora we took care to include the smaller as well as the major industries, thus preserving a balanced picture of the economic life of our community. We carried out the same rule in our later series, "Know Your Local Merchants". We took care not to single out any particular industry or merchant for special or promotional mention.

For example: There are three well-known druggists in Aurora, J. F. Willis, John Morning and O. D. Hess. To each of them we gave equal space and equal publicity in our write-ups, the emphasis being on biographical data and carefully avoiding promotional discrimination. Not in a single write-up of any one of our industries or merchants has any complaint been made that we favored one as against another.

In short, the policy of this newspaper is to support all our industries and merchants, not to discriminate here and there for advertising or other reasons.

### PRAISE OR PERISH!

Last week we remarked that the prestige of a town council is no higher than the mental calibre of those who compose it. We have to hand one thing to Reeve Cook: He has often changed his mind, but not in regard to Aurora News Page. He has been hostile to it from the start. A year ago he voted that it should get no town printing and he voted the same way on March 16.

But what about Deputy-Reeve Murray? It was he who said a year ago that our paper should have equality with the Banner. On March 16 he was the mover of the motion that outlawed our newspaper. He did not even wait to ask how much town printing our newspaper had had. Nor did any other member of council ask for that information. It appeared that the deputy-revee and reeve were determined to "kill" our newspaper if they could.

This attitude suggests to us the type of advertiser who threatens to cut off his support unless he receives a plug. Such requests are fewer than they used to be. But there was a time when advertisers buying large amounts of space in newspapers assumed that they had a right to some favorable notice. We wonder if the reeve and deputy-revee would have been so anxious to "blot us out" if we had found good reasons to praise them in our newspaper?

Generally speaking, we think their work as municipal representatives has been of a poor standard and we have not hesitated to say so. Our opinions cannot be bought or influenced by a bit of printing work. We are not prepared to "damage", much less "sabotage" the town by saying that the work of certain municipal representatives is good if we know it isn't.

### PLEASING EVERYBODY

Pleasing everybody is impossible. He is a foolish man who tries to do so. Worse than that, he is a knave, for in order to try and please everybody a man must have a new face for all whom he contacts. To some he must say "yes" and to others "no", whichever way the wind blows. When such a double-cross creature lies down to sleep he must often wonder what he is going to look like in his dreams!

There isn't a preacher in Aurora who pleases all the members of his congregation. There isn't a preacher anywhere in the whole world who pleases all the members of his flock. Any one of them is fortunate if he pleases the majority. Where Christ failed it is hardly likely that His disciples should succeed. Indeed, His mission caused so much uproar in the short period of three years that His enemies crucified Him.

The easy and the safe way is, of course, to express no opinions at all. "I keep what I think to myself," said a man to us. What he meant was, that he did not voice his opinions beyond the hearing of his friends. He plays safe. He reminded us of the tortoise that moves slowly and with infinite care and pulls its head in at the slightest sound of danger.

There is, of course, a certain kind of merit in such studied reticence. But it is the sort of merit enjoyed by a mummy. While one is alive and breathing it must be hard to resemble a mummy. And had he but known it, even the man who kept his opinions to himself did not please everybody. For somebody said of him that "you don't know what so-and-so is thinking, for he never opens his mouth. He's just a deadpan."

Pleasing everybody doesn't matter. Good controversy and intelligent action: and out of both should come progress.

## CNR Requests Guarantee But Fails To Get Majority: Dog Control Amended By-law

A regular meeting of the town council was held on Monday night, April 6, when the mayor presided and, following the late arrivals of the reeve and deputy-revee, all members were present. A highlight of the proceedings was a discussion on the steam-train centennial which had an astonishing sequel.

After the presentation of the minutes, accounts and correspondence, Mr. H. Seston, president of the board of trade, submitted a number of proposals in connection with Coronation celebrations. He informed council that the ministerial association preferred an indoor rather than an out-of-door service for the reason that a greater solemnity could be preserved. It was intended to hold the service in the High school auditorium.

Some members of council, including Councillor D. J. Murray, stated their views in favor of a drumhead service. Councillor Davidson said that it might be difficult to accommodate everybody in the auditorium if all town organizations were present.

Councillor Davis said if it were the wish of the ministerial association to hold an indoor service it was not for council to question their decision, and Mr. Seston said the association was definite on their decision.

Concerning the decoration proposals, president Seston suggested that council make a grant of \$250 to the board of trade in connection therewith. This gave rise to some discussion with Councillor D. J. Murray commenting that it seemed that the board of trade was seeking a grant with the work being done by town employees.

Councillor Moffat asked Mr. Seston if he did not think the board of trade should assume some of the cost of the decorations from the funds they had on hand, to which he replied that the board had not thought of that.

Mrs. Moffat said she saw no reason why the board of trade should not help, adding humorously that she was "Scotch by nature", to which Mr. Seston retorted that he was "Jewish by nature". He further stated that the board of trade was offering council its help.

After further discussion the request of the board of trade for a \$250 grant was approved.

Mr. R. H. Corner and Mr. C. Adair appeared with reports on the work of the Parks board. Mr. Adair, secretary to the board, gave a detailed resume of the work carried out last year together with future proposals concerned with the planting of trees and general caretaking of parks and playgrounds.

Mr. Corner, chairman of the board, further reviewed the work that had been carried and suggested that council might make a similar grant to the board as for the year 1952. This was agreed to and council's congratulations were offered to the board for their past work.

Dr. Boulding and Mr. A. Closs appeared before council to suggest that in appreciation of the excellent showing of the junior "C" hockey team a grant of \$300 should be made for the purchase of windbreakers for some 20 members of the team. Dr. Boulding reminded council that the team had brought a revenue to the rink during the season of \$2,000.

When the matter was brought up at the new business stage Councillor D. J. Murray commented at some length on what he described as the neglect of the "higher-ups" to support their local hockey teams. He said that the "higher-ups" could help local hockey by their attendance at games.

On a motion by Councillor Murray, seconded by Councillor Davidson, the grant asked for to be spent on windbreakers was approved.

Following a committee report by Councillor Jones, in which he stated that a good meeting had been held among town organizations in connection with the steam-train centennial, a prolonged discussion took place.

Outlining a proposal which he said emanated from the directors of the C.N.R., the mayor said it was suggested that a special train might be run from Toronto to Aurora twenty minutes ahead of the centennial train, carrying an estimated 1,400 passengers for the celebration events.

The mayor said it was suggested that the town make a grant of \$180 to the C.N.R., but that it would be returned in full when

The Gleaners class of the Baptist church met on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Lorne Robinson, Wellington St.

Mr. Paul Proctor and Miss Mary Worrall, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fierheller.

Mr. Eldon Bray, Oshawa, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bray.

The Anglican church Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Hodgkinson, Wellington St., on Monday evening, April 13, at 8 p.m. (Please note the change of date.)

The Toronto District Ayrshire club held its annual ladies' and social night in the form of a banquet and dance at the Graystones on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Toronto, spent the holiday weekend in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Copland, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Willson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fierheller visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Anderson and family, Brampton.

The United church Women's Association met on Thursday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorland, Selton's Corners, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffith.

Mrs. McRay and daughter, Anne, Pt. Lambton, were guests over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson.

St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid held a springtime tea and homebak-



A cheque for \$142,327, marking the first dividend on preferred stock paid to the Government by the C.N.R. under the new capital structure authorized last year, is turned over to Hon. Lionel Chevrier, Minister of Transport, right, by Donald Gordon, Chairman and President of the Canadian National Railways. The dividend cheque also represented the first peacetime surplus for the C.N.R. since the boom year of 1928.

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J.A.R.O. NEWS  
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Thursday, Friday, Saturday April 16-17-18

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DEAN MARTIN, JERRY LEWIS IN

## THE STOOGES

**Audited Figures Prove Great Progress Of Era And Express: Floodlights And Band Display**

Our readers may or may not have noticed the fine progress recorded by the Era and Express. In either case it is our pleasure to draw attention to it, being quite naturally proud of the increasing support given by readers to the newspaper we represent. A man who does not take pride in his newspaper should not be working for it.

For many reasons we take pride in our association with the Era and Express. Two or three of these reasons we shall shortly state. For the moment we draw attention to the new figures appearing on the right hand corner of the front page, under the title, "Circulation". At the end of September, 1952, the paid-up number of copies was 3,953. At the end of December, 1952, these figures had risen to 4,036.

Some readers may not quickly realize what we mean by "paid-up copies". The figures mean that 4,036 readers have paid for their copies of the Era and Express and that this is a GUARANTEED circulation. The regular weekly printing of the Era and Express has now risen to the all-high figure of 4,550.

During the two years that we have been associated with the Era and Express its paid-up circulation has increased nearly 800 copies weekly. We are

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The Trinity Anglican church Guild, Aurora, are holding a tea in the parish hall on Saturday afternoon, April 11, from three to six.

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# News Of The W.I.

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

Lakeside branch, now officially known as Keswick W.I., held a successful family night which was very well attended and enjoyed by all. A delicious supper was served by the ladies. Mrs. R. Serrick offered a prayer of condolence for the Royal family.

Miss Dorothy Rye entertained with music and little Mary Lou Marshall gave a recitation. Mr. A. Pollock showed some educational and entertaining pictures. A business meeting was called for Monday, March 30. This was held at the home of the president, Mrs. A. Pollock. Ten dollars was voted to the St. John's Ambulance Society.

Belhaven branch will meet in the hall Tuesday, April 14. The motto, "Always look for the sunlight the Lord sends into your day," will be answered by Mrs. F. Stephens.

Roll call is "This idea saved me money." The program and lunch is to be provided by the losing side of the contest under the leadership of Mrs. Erwin Winch.

Belhaven branch celebrated its 25th anniversary on Friday, Mar. 20, with a family banquet served at 7 p.m., followed by a brief program.

The tables were beautifully decorated with daffodils and pussy willows and the head table

was centered with a three-tier cake. Highlight of the dinner was the cutting of the cake by the first president, of 25 years ago, Mrs. C. Prosser. Mrs. Wilbert Anderson, this year's president, acted as toast mistress for the evening.

The first toast to the Institute was proposed by Mr. Erwin Winch and Mrs. Ormsby Smith replied. The second toast, to the gentlemen, was proposed by Mrs. Erwin Winch and Mr. Bernard Davidson replied.

The last toast, to the Queen, completed the banquet. The guests adjourned to the upper hall where all joined in a short sing-song with Mrs. Don Morton at the piano. Reeve Elton Armstrong, King township, spoke briefly. Mrs. L. B. Pollock, district president, spoke. She said that she had been one of the charter members when this branch had been formed 25 years ago and from which five other new branches have been organized.

Mrs. Elton Armstrong, guest speaker, delivered a most informative address on education and citizenship. Miss A. Lewis had planned to be present to show pictures on "Historical Spots in Ontario" but was unable to attend through illness.

President Mrs. Anderson thanked the members for their help and co-operation in making (Continued on page 12)

# ARMITAGE

The last dance for the season, sponsored by the Community club, will be held on Friday, Apr. 17, at the Bluebird Inn. Come along and enjoy an evening of old-time dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reid and family visited Mrs. Reid's parents in Toronto Saturday evening.

Sorry to report Mrs. Robt. Lewis has been confined to bed for the past week but hope she is soon able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ern. Cook and family, St. Thomas, spent Easter Monday at the Cook homestead and Mrs. W. Cook went back with them for a month's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Vallance, Toronto, were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. Terry.

Mrs. Alf. Lewis received a very pleasant surprise last week when her brother, Mr. "Alec" Brown, Banff, Alta., dropped in for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Flynn, Toronto, spent the weekend with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tugwell.

Doug Doner and Glenn Mooney were home for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Lewis and family spent the Easter weekend with Mrs. Lewis' sister in Kingston, Mrs. Ernest Doidge, and family. Mr. Doidge is expected home from Korea within a month, where he has been for the past year.

## PINE ORCHARD

Blossom Portingell, formerly of Pine Orchard, is spending the Easter holidays at the Hotel Annapolis in Washington, D.C., with her grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Fernandez.

# Aurora News Cont'd.

## What They Are Saying

### Aurora Social News

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part of this week with Mr. and Mrs. George Duffield.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bruder, Yonge St. South, have returned home after spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rutsey and family, Toronto, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulce.

Miss Joan Robertson Machell, Ave., and Tom Scott, King, have been appointed Aurora high school representatives on the Collegiate club of a Toronto departmental store.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duffield spent the Easter weekend at Buffalo, N.Y.

Mr. J. R. Gundy, engineer for the Aurora Building company for the past six years, has joined the staff of the Sankey-Sheldon company as its sales engineer.

### KING

To Dedicate Chimes  
Rt. Rev. G. A. Wells, a bishop sanctioned by council.

In the Toronto diocese, will come to King City on Sunday, April 12, to perform the dedication of the chimes which were installed at All Saint's Anglican church by Stanley Watson last fall.

The gift is a memorial to his brother, the late Charles Watson, who died a few years ago. A special message will be delivered by the bishop and afterward a social hour will be held.

### Royal Theatre

While we were very sorry to see Frank Haylett leave the management of the Royal theatre, we were glad for the reason which brought about his departure, namely, a promotion. He is now the manager of the Odeon Humber theatre, a large and modern movie-house in the west end of Toronto. We understand it has a seating capacity of 1,300 and a staff numbering about 28.

Before coming to Aurora Mr. Haylett was assistant manager at the Hyland theatre on Yonge and St. Clair, a luxurious and spacious home of first-class entertainment. He was popular there and during the short time he has been in Aurora he has been well-liked. He told us how sorry he was to leave friendly Aurora, but he could not turn down what is a really first-class promotion.

It is apparent that the Odeon management will provide every opportunity to its staff for advancement in its large chain of theatres. Its public relations are of a high standard and, as we recently mentioned, it pays great attention to the important matter of courtesy on the part of its staff towards its patrons. In Frank Haylett the Odeon has a capable, efficient and loyal manager, and we wish him all future success.

New Manager  
Mr. Manning I. Shore has temporarily replaced Mr. Haylett at

the Royal. After a lengthy and successful career in theatre management, he recently joined the Odeon chain of theatres. After our meeting with him we are sure that Aurora and district patrons will receive very friendly welcomes to the Royal, where packed houses testify to the quality of pictures recently exhibited. This newspaper gives Mr. Shore a hearty welcome to Aurora.

### The Garden Calls!

The garden soil, we found, is still too wet and too heavy for an early chore of sowing and planting. Year by year we have to battle against the urge to get going early and good. There is little sense in it, however, for until the earth is warm there can be little growth. However, it is three weeks ago since the crocuses in John Hudson's front-window plot were in bud and a week ago Chet Osborne was telling us he was all set for potato planting. But well try and stay put for two or three weeks yet.

By the way, if anyone is looking for a free garden patch measuring some 60 feet he could contact Councillor Dale King on Catherine St. Dale was telling us that he won't have time this year to work his garden and if we knew of anyone who would like to make use of his land he would be glad to let a suitable applicant in on it.

### QUEENSVILLE

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Stiles, Jamie, London, visited Dr. Stiles' mother, Mrs. Robt. Stiles, during Easter holidays.

Miss Mary Marsh, Toronto, spent this week with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Aylward.

Mrs. Jean Ralston who has been living with Mrs. J. Alleyne for several years has been taken to Stouffville hospital.

The Easter pageant in the United church Sunday school was much appreciated.

Mrs. S. Sennett and Miss Olive Sowerby, Toronto, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sennett and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miles were Easter guests of Mrs. Jacob Smith.

Friends are pleased to hear Mrs. Hannah Welburn is able to be home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Middendorf and family moved to Newmarket on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burkholder Sr., arrived home from Florida on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stickwood, Madoc, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stickwood.

Miss Jean Cunningham, Bowmanville is home for Easter holidays.

Messrs. Roy and Wes Morton spent Easter with their father, Mr. Cliff Morton.

Mrs. Fred Daniels and Chris spent Easter week with Mrs. Daniels' sister at Espanola.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith were Mrs. Jackson, Midland, and Mrs. Moore, Newmarket.

Miss Pat McFarquhar, Toronto, is holidaying with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith, Windsor, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Miss H. Colbeck is spending her holidays at Windsor.

Miss Kathleen Mitchell, Toronto, and Mrs. Thompson, Guelph, spent the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell.

Mrs. Geo. Philmlster, Newmarket, entertained a number of friends Sunday afternoon in honor of the 80th birthday of her grandmother, Mrs. Albert Milne.

We wish to extend sympathy to the Perry family in the sudden death of Mr. Jack Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carman Malnprize, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kavanagh entertained their family for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Milne, also entertained their family for the Easter holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stickwood left this week to spend the spring and summer months at Gilmour.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Montgomery, Carleton Place, Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn and son, Smith Falls, Mrs. Frank Barton and daughter and Mr. Jas. Henderson, Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. E. Chambers, Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jarvis and family, Newmarket, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crossland and daughter, Bradford, spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Henderson.

Congratulations to the cast of the Young People's Union who won the competition at Sharon Hall on Monday night. They met the Churchill group from Simcoe, who presented "Church Bells". The Queensville group will present their play "Your Church and Mine" at Markham on April 18.

Mrs. Jim Seldon and children, Queensville, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Rex Smith.

The Afternoon Auxiliary of Queensville W.M.S. is presenting a missionary travelogue on Friday evening, April 17, 8 p.m., in the United church Sunday-school room.

# Residents Opposed To King Plant Location, Construction Started

Preliminary work was started this week on a \$100,000 potato chip factory at the south end of King City. Workmen started Tuesday morning on excavation between Keele St. south and the C.N.R. railway tracks.

On Monday a delegation of King City property owners attended a meeting of the King township council and presented a petition asking for immediate protection against indiscriminate location of industry in residential areas in the village. It was signed by 107.

Residents asked that the council take immediate action. They had presented the same petition last week to the trustees of the village who refused to submit the petition to King township council. It was signed by 59 residents.

After the delegation had left the meeting, correspondence was read by the clerk and a letter was read from the department of planning and development which indicated that approval had been given to a by-law application to define the entire township as a planned area under the planning act.

Lorne C. Lee, Aurora barrister, who represented the 107 petitioners at the council meeting, stressed the need for zoning in the village of King City. Mr. Lee urged that township officials contact the owner, Stanley Watson, to take another location in the village or in the township. "He is a reasonable man," said Mr. Lee.

The strongest opposition is from residents who have left their homes in Toronto to find a quiet residential spot to build new homes. "We want to avoid factories in residential sections," they say.

"There has been no decision by village trustees on the petition," said Mr. Lee. The chairman of the board should have cast the deciding vote.

He told council that if Mr. Watson were properly approached by township officials, he might change his mind and find another suitable location in the village, not so close to homes.

Reeve Armstrong said that council acts according to the decisions made by the trustees of a police village. Mr. Lee said that the trustees had not properly dealt with the petition. There was a tie vote on the petition last week, one trustee favoring the petition, one opposed and one not voting.

"There is no restriction by-law. Anyone can build anywhere," said Mr. Lee. He said that residents were not opposed to industry but wanted it in suitable locations.

"There is no restriction by-law to build anywhere. It can be seen how it could happen overnight. People could be driven away from the village," said Mr. Lee.

"What will a factory mean to the village water supply?" he asked. "Will residents be deprived because of an industrial use of town water? Another serious question is where the effluent will go from factories. What sewage facilities are (Page 16, Col. 8)

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**Kem-Tone**

FOR THE PRICE OF TWO PAIRS OF NYLONS

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Tuesday - 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Wed. - 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon  
Thurs. - 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.  
Friday - 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.  
Sat. - 7:30 a.m. to 10 p.m.

LET'S SEE:

"THE FLOWER BEDS"  
"THE GARDEN"  
"THE LAWN"  
"THE PAINT JOB"  
"THE AWNINGS"  
"THE SCREENS"  
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STATEMENT OF EXPENSE & REVENUE			
AURORA RECREATION COMMISSION			
JANUARY 1, 1962 TO DECEMBER 31, 1962			
<b>Receipts &amp; Income</b>			
Grants			\$3,470.33
Receipts from programs, activities and events put on by the Rec. Commission			3,664.24
Voluntary donations by organizations and persons			720.34
<b>Total Income</b>			<b>\$7,854.91</b>
<b>Expenses &amp; Disbursements</b>			
Leadership and instruction	\$	516.50	
Administration		529.51	
Repairs and maintenance to parks and tennis court		988.30	
Equipment repairs		354.29	
Handcraft expenses		208.83	
Weekly dance expenses		2,004.00	
Square dance club		454.97	
Softball and baseball		100.85	
Film		30.00	
Band concert		15.12	
Art classes		66.75	
Playgrounds expenses		405.19	
Teenagers club		49.14	
Woodworking (net cost)		40.95	
Community and family nights		429.38	
Swimming classes (net cost)		145.73	
Minor hockey		454.47	
<b>Total Expenses</b>		<b>\$7,839.58</b>	
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1962			394.00
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1962		418.41	
		<b>\$8,248.99</b>	<b>\$8,248.99</b>
Chairman, J. E. Buchanan			
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The above Financial Statement has been approved by Mr. Hilliers, Auditor for the Town of Aurora.			
Please note that the rental fee paid for the use of the Lions Hall has been apportioned to the expenses of the Saturday evening dances, the Community and Family Nights, and the square dance club.			
Any person or persons wishing any information on items listed in our statement please contact our secretary for an explanation.			

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# Chemical Vs. Tillage For Pasture Renovation

The use of chemicals to reduce the need for extensive tillage in preparing a seedbed is an effective new method of pasture renovation, according to M. A. Sprague of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station.

It involves replacement of a great deal of tractor power and unconventional equipment with chemical energy applied in one trip and a few tillage operations with conventional implements.

The principles of good seedbed preparation remain the same, destroying established unwanted plants, providing a firm smooth seedbed, and in addition leaving an evenly distributed trash mulch on the surface.

The new method has some advantages over the conventional one of numerous diskings. A more complete kill of the old grass sod can be accomplished and more than likely the seeding of adapted species will last longer. Steeper more inaccessible slopes and rough stony fields are available where extensive tillage is difficult or hazardous.

Light tillage implements can be used more effectively on a dead sod than on a live one with a lower power requirement. This means more speed with lighter implements such as the spring-tooth harrow in place of the heavy cut-away disks or tool-bar implements. Smaller clumps of sod are turned which fall apart and crumble easily, forming a more uniform seedbed.

Band seeding in the dead sod without previous tillage is a promising possibility as a method of "getting the job done" with the least possible immediate outlay of money.

Start in the spring by choosing an area which is being neglected and which has pasture potential. Test the soil and meet the lime needs as soon as possible. Graze continuously and heavily throughout the spring and early summer. Clip once if necessary in June.

Spray the pasture sod July 15 to 20 with 25 pounds active acid sodium trichloroacetate (TCA) in 10 or 20 gallons of water mixed with one quarter percent of wetting agent and one half pound 2-4-D per acre.

Apply fertilizer prior to the last week of August in accordance with recommendations based on soil tests. Cultivate, once up and down the slope and once across the slope with a conventional tandem disk harrow, spring-tooth harrow or similar tillage implement during the last week of August (30 to 35 days after spraying) and follow with a smoothing harrow the last time over field.

Sow a recommended pasture grass and legume. Use plenty of mixture containing an adapted high quality seed, approximately 10 per cent more than generally recommended on a plowed seedbed, band seed or apply broadcast and roll with a cultipacker roller. Where recommended use up to one bushel of oats as a companion crop.

Delay grazing until the following spring after the new seeding is well established. This generally means start pasturing the first week of May when the grasses reach 8-10 inches high. Present costs of TCA treatment are somewhat below the old conventional tillage. Other chemicals may be found to reduce cost still further.

## Duo Drive Plans Available To Farmers

For many operations involving the driving of small elevators, air compressors, certain types of fanning mills and feed mixers or cement mixers, a one-half h.p. motor is desirable. Frequently the farmer uses a smaller motor or a motor which does not have the ability to start a heavy load, and soon burns it out; yet he correctly feels that he cannot afford to have nearly \$100 invested in a one-half h.p. motor (25 cycle, repulsion start) which is used only occasionally.

To help answer this problem, a circular has just been published by the Department of Physics, Ontario Agricultural College, which gives plans for a "Duo Drive". This device costs about \$15 for materials and provides a simple, quick method for converting two similar one-quarter h.p. motors, costing about \$27 each, into one one-half h.p. unit.

Although costing considerably less, this unit will do everything a standard one-half h.p. motor will do in the line of occasional jobs, and at the same time maintain the flexibility of two small, handy one-quarter h.p. motors for general shop use. These can be pulled from their regular jobs and mounted in the drive in a matter of seconds and easily carried from place to place by a grip cut in the motor mounting board.

This unit also is the basic framework for a bench saw, which is one of the most useful tools a farmer can own. The illustrations and latter section of the circular show how easy it is to convert it into a saw with a few extra parts. Once the saw kit has been made up, the change to a useful bench saw takes less than two minutes.

The "Duo Drive" is fully explained, with photos and diagrams, in Circular 165, and is obtainable now at the office of the agricultural representative.

## KESWICK

Master Billie Waldon, Toronto, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Waldon. Mr. and Mrs. John Grant, Queensville, visited Mr. and Mrs. George White on Tuesday of last week.

The Misses B. and L. Stewart, Toronto, spent the Easter weekend with Mrs. Magee and Miss Isla Magee.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettigrew and daughter spent the Easter weekend with Mrs. Olive Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winch, Miss Ruth Mary Winch and Mr. Gordon Wood spent Good Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winch Jr. and family at Chesley.

Miss Florence Waldon and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harrow visited on the Easter weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Waldon.

Miss Ruth Mary Winch, Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Winch.

Mr. Don Campbell and his three sisters, Toronto, are spending the Easter holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. Melvin Morton, Toronto, visited his sister, Mrs. Winston Prosser and Mr. Prosser over the Easter weekend.

Miss Roslyn VanNorman, Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodgkinson and daughter, Susan, spent Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. O. M. King.

## Zephyr News

A 3-act play entitled the "Adventures of Grandpa" will be presented by the young people of Wilfred and will be held in the community hall, Zephyr, on Friday evening, April 10, under the auspices of the Women's Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Galbraith and family, Dundalk, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Galbraith.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lockie and family, Hamilton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lockie.

A splendid Easter service of song and slides was presented in the United church on Good Friday evening by Mrs. V. Cain's pupils, Newmarket. There were also duets by Mr. and Mrs. Singer in voice and accordion.

A play was presented by the junior pupils of Mrs. Ballard's class, entitled "The Wise Men Built Their House on a Rock". Afterwards the S. S. teachers entertained the guests with sandwiches and tea.

The Misses Laura and Reta Horner, Toronto and Hamilton respectively, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Coomer, Baldwin, also friends in Zephyr on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Thompson and Wilda, Sharon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Silversides on Sunday.

Mr. Ivan Law has returned to his home after spending some weeks in Florida.

The W.M.S. Easter Thankoffering service was held in the S. S. room last Wednesday. It was well attended. A splendid Easter program was given. A timely address was given by Mrs. Gray, Leaskdale, also a beautiful piano solo by Mrs. Brammer. The thankoffering amounted to over \$38.

Miss Olive Meyers, Toronto, spent Good Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyers.

Miss Irene Lockie, B.A., of Woodville teaching staff, is visiting friends around Zephyr.

Miss Smith, Sharon, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lew Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Lockie and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis, 5th concession, on Saturday evening.

The Zephyr Women's Institute annual meeting and election of officers will be held in the community hall on Wednesday afternoon, April 15.

Mrs. Kearns, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. T. Meyers.

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## OBITUARY

### William Henry Vanstone

William Henry Vanstone, Sharon, passed away at Sunnybrook hospital on Wednesday, March 18, after a short illness. He was born at Harton, Devon, England, the son of Mrs. James Vanstone and the late Mr. James Vanstone in 1895. He married in 1921.

Mr. Vanstone was identified with the Anglican church. He belonged to the legion and his chief interest was in his garden.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Walter M. and David R.; three daughters Rhona (Mrs. S. McNiece), Mary (Mrs. N. Kesteven), Leah (Mrs. E. Drennan).

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. A. J. Arthur from the chapel of the Strasser funeral home on Saturday, March 21. Pallbearers were son-in-laws Norman Kesteven, Stanley McNiece, neighbors, Mr. A. Shaw, Mr. E. Fry, Mr. R. Donaldson and Mr. T. Bell. Interment was in Queensville cemetery.

## Mount Albert News

The Library Board are sponsoring a musical comedy put on by the Happy Doubles club of Oshawa in the town hall on Wednesday, April 29.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Draper of Toronto were Easter visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Burr.

Mrs. Jean Richards and Carol of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Steeper.

Dr. and Mrs. MacPherson, Jackie and Maris, motored to Carleton Place to visit the doctor's mother over the weekend.

Mrs. Ernie Lunau had a miscellaneous shower for Miss Anne Reid on Friday evening when the bride of next week received many useful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McQuaid spent the Easter weekend on a trip to Chicago.

Miss Mildred Dike and Miss Peggy Foster of Toronto were at the former's home over the holiday.

Mrs. Gordon Wagg, Linda and Jim, Belleville, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jennings, New Hamburg, were Good Friday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Allison and Betty spent the weekend with Mr. Thos. Allison.

Mrs. Fawns of Toronto and Mrs. McKee of Calgary were Easter visitors with Mrs. W. H. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Snyder, Paul and Ricky, went to Kitchener for Easter, Mrs. Snyder and the boys staying over for the week's holidays.

Miss Daisy Watts of Dunnville is spending the holiday at her home in town.

Mrs. Swan of Toronto was an Easter visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Smith.

The W.M.S. of the United church held their Easter meeting at the home of Miss B. Harmon with a good attendance. Mrs. Pipher and Mrs. Jas. Thompson were in charge of the Easter program.

The Orange Lodge, L.O.L. 902, sent a crate of eggs, three bags of potatoes, 45 pounds of honey to the Orange Orphanage on Yonge St.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Davidson's, Queensville.

Mr. Jim Hamilton spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. Crowle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crowle were with Mr. and Mrs. George Burnham for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Mitchell were visitors at the home of Mrs. John Cain.

A large congregation attended the United church service Easter Sunday morning and listened to a special message from Rev.

Shapter. The choir excelled in a message of song, closing with the "Hallelujah Chorus" from Handel's Messiah.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Archer, Ben and Peter, Elmvalle, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Rubel, Mark and Alex, Delhi, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clark and Jane, Mrs. A. L. Dunn, Aurora, were Easter callers in town Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Dike spent the holidays in Toronto with their daughter and family, Mrs. Wilson.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Harry Gordon Archibald, Holland Landing, 2 years old on Thursday, April 2.

Elaine Sedore, Mount Albert, 4 years old on Friday, Apr. 3.

Gary Hendricks, Newmarket, 14 years old on Friday, Apr. 3.

Grace Lorraine Whitaker, R. R. 2, Sutton, 7 years old on Friday, Apr. 3.

Joan Sandra Kay Harrison, Mount Albert, 10 years old on Friday, April 3.

Ian / Gilkes, Newmarket, 4 years old on Friday, April 3.

Nancy Kathleen Greenides, Kettleby, 10 years old on Saturday, Apr. 4.

Dianne Gould, Newmarket, 13 years old on Saturday, Apr. 4.

Sherron VanZant, Newmarket, 10 years old on Saturday, Apr. 4.

Robert Paul Homes, St. Catharines, 10 years old on Sunday, Apr. 5.

Joanne Fairbairn, Sharon, 4 years old on Sunday, Apr. 5.

Paul Fry, Newmarket, 8 years old on Monday, Apr. 6.

David Wayne Fletcher, Newmarket, 3 years old on Monday, April 6.

Diane Haskett, Newmarket, 10 years old on Tuesday, Apr. 7.

Jean Mary Evans, Newmarket, 5 years old on Tuesday, Apr. 7.

Geraldine White, Holland Landing, 14 years old on Wednesday, Apr. 8.

Dolly Madill Keswick, 12 years old on Wednesday, Apr. 8.

Keth Edward Wright, Aurora, 9 years old on Wednesday, Apr. 13.

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of the Newmarket Era and Express Birthday Club.

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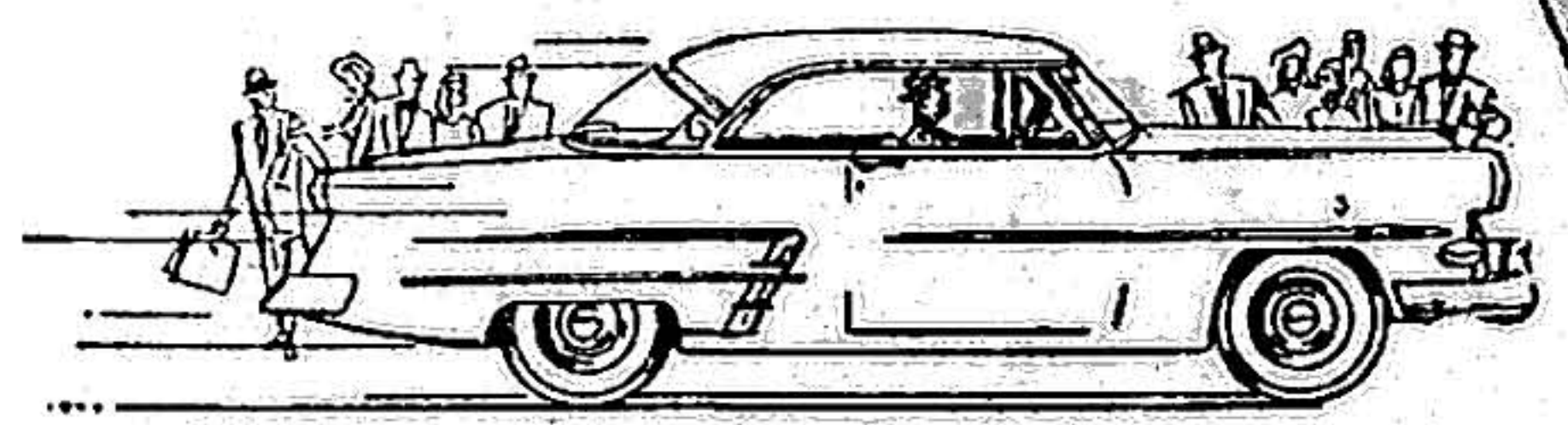


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## Vandorf News

## W.L. News

## PLEASANTVILLE

**HOPE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ganton and Mrs. Archie Dike on Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. John Gillham is spending a few days visiting friends in Toronto.  
Miss Amy Gibson, Newmarket, spent Good Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stickwood.

Miss Nellie Doig, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver and Miss Ruth Oliver.  
Mrs. Fred Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rowbottom, Miss Shirley Rowbottom, Miss Pat Addison, all of Orillia, and Mrs. Percy Allin of Aurora were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver.  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starr and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Starr's sister, Mrs. Fred Fields, and Mr. Sields, Toronto.  
Mr. Bob Staley spent Sunday with Mr. Jack Baber.  
Mr. Peter Slavojedick, Toronto, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sullivan.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. R. Robinson visited last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. George French of Markham.  
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Grimshaw, Aurora, had tea on Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morley.

(Continued from page 10)  
The entire evening so successful and voted a special thank you to Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, to Mrs. J. Wilkinson who baked the cake and Mrs. W. Kydd for making place cards for everyone and to Mrs. O. Smith for the decorations.

Everybody is asked to come to Pine Orchard Union church Sunday school on April 16, at 2 p.m. Our guest will be Miss Mae Brooks of the Rural Life Mission, who is no stranger at Pine Orchard. Church is cancelled for the afternoon but a special dedication service will be held at 7:30 p.m. on the same day, April 16.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starr and Stuart Starr attended a Peace conference, sponsored jointly by the Friends and F.O.R. in Toronto during the weekend.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Preston, Toronto, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Preston.

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Preston who were married in Toronto on Saturday. Mrs. Preston was formerly Miss Shirley Wilson of Barrie.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Preston returned home from their holiday in Florida.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Bramhill and family, Toronto, spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. Bramhill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Yake.

Miss Snider, a missionary from Haiti, West Indies, was a guest for the Easter weekend of Mrs. Wilfred Lundy.  
Miss Coline Gardhouse of Unionville spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kingston.  
Special Easter services at Wesley United church were well attended on Sunday.

**SUPERTEST**  
EXTRA MILEAGE

The Queensville branch met on March 25 in the United church basement. Mrs. F. Weddel was in the chair and conducted the routine opening. Twenty members answered the roll call; 50 were present. The motto was explained by Mrs. Dike.

Mrs. Alyward reported that \$139 had already been collected for the Red Cross. The following nominating committee was appointed: Mrs. S. Eves, Miss Cranley, Mrs. J. L. Smith, Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Warren; \$25 was given to the library and \$5 was given to the Girls' club.

Mrs. Weddel welcomed the Sharon Institute. Mrs. F. Ramsay took the chair and the singing of "The More We Get Together" opened the program. Mrs. Joe Hall gave a reading. Mrs. Graham delivered a paper on the work of the Institute. Mrs. Donaldson and Mrs. Shaw sang a duet. A paper, "The Good Old Days", was given by Mrs. Crane.

Mrs. Weddel presented a demonstration on weaving a belt. After a reading by Mrs. Greig, Mrs. Donaldson and Mrs. Shaw sang another duet. Mrs. Boyd gave the current events talk. The program concluded with a sewing contest led by Mrs. Farr.

The March meeting of the Elm Grove branch was held on March 25 at Mrs. Elmer Hamilton's home. A collection was taken for the Mental Health Association of Canada. A donation was made to the Kinsmen's Crippled Children's fund.

Mrs. J. Munro, district director, gave a report on the district meeting held in Newmarket. Discussions about the D.A., to be held in Ravenshoe United church in May, were held, also about the A.C.W.W. (Associated County Women of the World), which is a convention of Women's Institute ladies from all over the world. This year it will be held in Toronto in the Maple Leaf Gardens the week of Aug. 21.

Mrs. Munro told us that we are urged to take more interest in York County hospital. We are also urged to have voting delegates at the area convention in the fall in Toronto.

Mrs. J. Munro was nominated for district convener for citizenship and education for 1953-54. Mrs. Yorke, convener of citizenship and education, took over the meeting. She gave an interesting address in which she said citizenship begins at home.

The Elmhurst Beach branch met at the home of Mrs. H. Boynton, Mrs. Lunn presiding. There were six grandmothers present, all taking part in the program. Mrs. F. Lockert read a beautiful poem in tribute to the late Dowager Queen and two minutes silence was observed.

Mrs. Selby Sedore gave a reading, "Grandparents Are Wanted", a very interesting topic. Grandmothers present sang several songs. Members planned on planting trees at the new school in memory of deceased members of the branch. Mrs. W. Lunn was re-elected as president; \$50 for penny round-up was collected. A demonstration of an Easter salad was given by Mrs. L. Pollock.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Marve Clark. Refreshment committee: Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Bentham, Mrs. Wm. King.

The election of officers will be held at the next meeting of the Newmarket branch on Thursday, April 16, 2:30 p.m. in the Agricultural Board rooms, Botsford St. Members are reminded to pay their Blue Cross hospitalization at this meeting.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Chas. Toole for the weekend included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chandler and daughter Marie, also Mrs. S. Playter, Burlington.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cody, Toronto, are spending the week at their future home here, also having as unexpected guests on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Scott McBride and baby son, New York, also two English friends. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Toronto, were their guests for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Jewitt and Glenna, Kettleby, also their niece, Miss Sandra Raven, Toronto, had Monday dinner with Mrs. G. McClure.

Miss Joyce VanLoven accompanied a group from the Nazareth church, Newmarket, to a conference at Owen Sound on Good Friday. She also visited cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane (Marjorie Petch).

Mrs. A. Tucker returned to her daughter's home at Nashville on Saturday, after spending the winter with Mrs. Chas. Toole.

Miss Erla Toole, Toronto, and friend, Mr. W. Hancock, Oshawa, were holidaying at the home of Mr. Earl Toole for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Glover and four children were Easter Sunday dinner guests with Mr. Glover's parents in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kitchen, Schomberg.  
On Saturday, at the home of the Greenwoods, visitors included Mr. and Mrs. H. Cole, Leone and Herbie, and Mr. and Mrs. V. Kellington, Ravenshoe.

### MOUNT PLEASANT

Roads are in good condition now after the spring rains.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moulds and Mr. and Mrs. Leaney were in Toronto on Tuesday.

Bible study, held at the home of Mr. Alex Hopkins on Tuesday evening had quite a number present.

Sorry to hear that Mrs. Hopkins' mother, Mrs. Olive, Jackson's Point, is ill.

Mrs. Miller of Miami Beach visited at the home of Mr. Chester Miller on Sunday.

Mr. Glenn Davidson and son Bobby of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson on Easter Sunday.

Miss Eva Stiles and Mrs. Everett Yorke had Sunday supper with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Rye of Keswick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Yorke.

The lovely flowers that were placed in Mount Pleasant church on Easter Sunday were in memory of little Garfield Yorke who passed away one year ago.

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## Keswick News

Beautiful plants brought Easter brightness to the Christian church services on Easter Sunday morning at an impressive communion service. Eleven new members were welcomed and special music enjoyed, given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright, Miss E. Terry and Rev. and Mrs. Serrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Redditt, Toronto, were at home for the Easter weekend.

Many visited the official opening of the enlarged and attractively remodelled Ager drug store on April 7. Each lady attending received a gift of perfume.

Master Martin Lapp of Meaford is visiting Miss Eva Gilroy. Other guests at the Gilroy home Sunday were Rev. Gordon Lapp of Meaford and Mr. Don Lapp and son Tommy of Alliston.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Rye and family of Toronto, with guests, were at their Keswick Beach cottage for the Easter weekend.

Mr. Alfred Stickland has been confined to bed with an attack of pleurisy, but is improving.

Mr. Munro Mann of Detroit was at home with his mother for Easter.

### SHARON

Service in the United church each Sunday is at 9.45 a.m. Sunday school at 10.45 a.m.

The Sharon Women's Institute is sponsoring a progressive eucharist in Sharon hall on Tuesday, April 14, at 8 p.m. Good prizes will be given and lunch will be served. This is our last eucharist for this spring.

St. James Anglican church is putting on a Schneider supper at Sharon Hall on April 29.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Donaldson spent a few days in Ottawa with their son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrance Farr, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Ellerby Farr and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Proctor and baby were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Farr.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glover and Beverly spent the weekend with relatives at St. Catharines.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brissom, Anne and Michael of Maritton, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Vernon and children, Milton, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vernon, Mr. Robert Vernon returning with them to spend the holidays.

Mr. J. McDonald, Orillia, the Misses Evelyn and Violet McDonald, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. C. H. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caruso and Cathie, Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Art Wilkins, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kiteley, Aurora were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kiteley.

The Misses Jeannette, Doreen and Joan Hardesty spent the weekend with their father in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weston spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Long after spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gill, Janet and Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson at Dixie on Saturday.

## King City And District

### Farewell Evening

More than 50 neighbors and friends from Lasky, King City, Temperanceville, Schomberg and Toronto met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Campbell on March 30 to enjoy games and dancing before they vacated their farm, 5th line, to move to King City. A cup and saucer was presented to Mrs. Campbell by her neighbors and a farewell address was read to the couple by Mrs. Whitley Finch.

On Good Friday, the Campbells gave a supper for the Harvey Folliott family.

Miss Betty Larkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Larkin, Eaton Hall Farm, is taking several weeks vacation in England and on the continent. She and her friend, Miss Doris Atkinson, Woodbridge, sailed on the Queen Elizabeth on March 20.

Miss Betty Climpson, principal of Strange school, went with friends to see Easter in Washington.

Miss Carol Norrad, Eversley teacher, spent a couple days in Newmarket hospital last week, when she suddenly became ill.

Eversley W.M.S. thankoffering meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. L. Williams on Wednesday, April 15, at 2.30 p.m. A special speaker and program will be given.

Mr. Herb E. Ross won a pen at the Vellore eucharist club in Vellore hall on March 30.

Wednesday, May 20, is the day of the annual meeting of section 3, W.M.S., Toronto West Presbyterian, which will be held at Maple Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Jenkinson, Niagara Falls, and her daughter, Miss Jessie Jenkinson, were weekend guests of her son, Rev. M. R. Jenkinson, at the United church parsonage.

Rev. D. C. H. Mitchell took a plane from Malton after the morning service, Easter Sunday, for California, where his sister was gravely ill.

Mrs. M. H. Bell of King City was bereaved by the recent death of her mother, Mrs. G. A. Allan, Lefroy, who passed away after a month's illness on Monday, March 30. Mrs. Bell had spent considerable time with her mother during her illness and was with her at the time of her death.

Surviving are Mrs. Allan's husband, daughters, Mrs. R. J. New, Chatham; Mrs. G. V. Robinson, Sault Ste. Marie; Mrs. M. H. Bell, and a son Jack Allan at home.

Funeral service was held on Thursday, at the residence followed by a public service in Churchill United church. Interment was made in Innisfil 6th line cemetery. Mrs. Allan was well known here as she had made many friends while visiting her daughter at King.

Miss Marie Ball, who is on the teaching staff at St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ball, Eversley. Her sister Nancy who is in St. Joseph's training school spent Good Friday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boys, Whitby, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boys, Oak Ridge, visited their mother, Mrs. William Boys at her Lasky home on Sunday.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Greenwood, 4th concession, were Mr. Greenwood's mother, Mrs. Martha Greenwood and daughter, Mrs. Alice Hubby, Kewick, and a brother, Fergus Greenwood and his wife, Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blee, Toronto, were visitors at the home

### NORTH GWELL SPORTS DAY

A meeting has been called to arrange for the north Gwillimbury sports day which is to take place in July. The meeting is to be held in the memorial hall at Keswick on Wednesday evening April 15, at 8.30 o'clock. The general public is invited to attend and help with the planning.

should belong to the auxiliary. How about helping to talk them into it, comrades.

Aurora are Zone E2 Darts Champions. Newmarket came in for the runner-up trophy. Our team in the finals was Jack Fisher, Captain, Bill Ranger, Art Newman and Jim Fisher. They put up a good effort. We must mention our D team; they had not lost a game until they were beaten in the semi-finals by Aurora. That team was captained by Doug Campbell and consisted of Charlie MacLeod, Ron Bressington and Barry Kelley.

In the quarter-finals Barry threw a score of 148. There's nothing wrong with that. Let's go, fellows, we've got a lot of room for the first trophy of this year. The whole thing started with eight teams from Newmarket, five from Woodbridge and one from Aurora. You've got to hand it to the Aurora lone entry.

Zone elections last night left Harold Eaton as Zone Commander, Chic Roney as Zone sports officer and Harold Sanderson as Zone secretary. That's a good showing for Branch 426. We must also mention thanks to Larry Needler for the handling of the bus on our Woodbridge trip.

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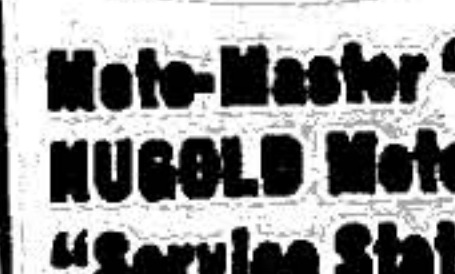
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Next Wednesday, April 15 is the next Bingo. Jack-pot is \$25. See the ad under coming events.

Comrade Walt Groves and his maintenance committee certainly deserve credit for the work they have been able to accomplish to date. How about giving them a hand. There is a lot to do yet. The idea is to have the interior complete for the Coronation festivities.

Once again, speaking of Coronation Day, we are very happy to add that the town council committee consisting of Messrs. Herb Gladman, Eddie Wrightman and Bob McGuire are certainly pitching in on the co-operation on planning and arranging things for a big day.

We've said a lot about membership in the past but it was mostly about membership in the branch. Now we hear that the auxiliary is making a drive on membership. Let's support them. When you think of it, you have to agree that all members' wives

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## THORN—WEST

Mr. McKelvie, Toronto, officiated at a ceremony at the home of the bride's mother, on Saturday, Mar. 21, for the marriage of Mrs. Irene West and the late Charles H. West, Newmarket, to William Thomas Thorn, Markham, son of Mrs. Thomas Thorn and the late Mr. Thomas Thorn, Belleville.

Given in marriage by her brother, Eric West, the bride was attired in a floor length gown of forget-me-not blue nylon net over taffeta with matching jacket of brocade taffeta. Her finger tip veil was held by wreath of orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of mauve chrysanthemums and white gladioli.

Miss Evelyn Stiver, Unionville, was her only attendant, dressed in a floor length gown of fuchsia nylon net and taffeta fashioned on similar lines and carried a nosegay of talisman roses and baby mums. Mr. Donald Lunau, Markham, was groomsmen.

The bride's mother received, dressed in rosewood crepe, with a corsage of white and pink carnations. For the wedding trip to the United States and Eastern Canada, the bride chose a hunter's green gabardine suit, with light beige topcoat and brown accessories. The couple will reside in Rouge Valley, Scarborough.

**MOORHEAD—ROSE**  
Wedding bells and flowers covering an arch, formed the setting in the Free Methodist district parsonage, Newmarket, on Friday, March 21, for the marriage of Ruby Jane Alda Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carman Rose to Lloyd David Moorehead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moorehead.

lovely in a gown of brocade satin and lace with a bolero jacket of brocade, with long sleeves and points over the hands. Her fingertip veil was caught with a headdress of flowers.

Her attendant was her cousin, Miss Ruth Graves, who wore an ankle length gown of blue taffeta, with nylon net overskirt and bolero jacket and shoulder length veil. She carried a nosegay of flowers. Mr. John Lock was groomsmen.

At a reception held at the bride's home, the bride's mother received in blue crepe dress and pink accessories and matching corsage. The groom's mother assisted in a navy dress, navy accessories and matching corsage.

For travelling the bride chose a grey suit and navy accessories, shortie coat and white corsage.

## ENTERTAIN BRIDE

Miss Glenna West was the guest of honor at several showers prior to her wedding. She became the bride of Mr. Thomas Thorn, Markham, on Saturday, March 21.

A miscellaneous shower was held on March 10, at the home of Mrs. Fough and Miss Donald Mitchell, a cup and saucer shower at the home of Mrs. Annie McComb, a kitchen shower by the office girls at Comstock in Toronto where Miss West works. Her fellow workers presented her with a beautiful tri-lite floor lamp, table lamp and a copper and aluminum kettle.

Anthropologists believe they have observed one of the processes by which farming was started in Western Australia where tribesmen who dig up yams, put part of the yam back in the hole.

## The Crown Jewels

(Treasures beyond price will be used during the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II. Here is another article on the Background to the Coronation series, the writer describes the uses and symbolism of the Royal Regalia.)

**By Dennis Bardsen**  
In the Wakefield Tower, a vaulted chamber of the Tower of London where Henry VI was imprisoned and murdered, are housed the Crown Jewels which will figure in the Coronation ceremony in June.

Visitors gaze spellbound at the lustrous gold orbs, the Royal Sceptre containing the largest cut diamond in the world and the fabulous Imperial State Crown which contains 2,763 diamonds, 277 pearls, 17 sapphires, 11 emeralds and 5 rubies.

These however are only a few of the items constituting the Royal Regalia, which include St. Edward's Staff, the Spoon and Ampulla, the Golden Spurs, the State Swords, the Orb, Ring, Sceptres and the Crowns.

Their value cannot be stated because obviously they would never be put up for sale, but certainly they are worth, intrinsically, many millions of dollars, a fine haul for a burglar, if he were rash enough to risk electrocution or decapitation, two penalties which, it is rumored, would have to be faced by a prospective thief.

The Crown Jewels have had their vicissitudes. Once the Regalia were housed in Westminster Abbey but bits and pieces had a habit of disappearing. Following an attempt to rob the Abbey in the reign of Henry III the jewels were removed to the Tower of London, the Impregnable stronghold by the River Thames, which took nearly 200 years to build (between 1078 and 1272).

Even at the Tower of London the jewels were still a temptation. An Irish adventurer, Colonel Blood, wheedled his way into the confidence of the assistant keeper, overpowered him with the help of two accomplices and nearly got away with the State Crown and Orb. The sequel was strange, for instead of being executed the thief was rewarded by King Charles II with a pension of £500 a year, a large sum in those days.

What was the catch? It is suspected that Charles II, being short of cash, had staged the robbery himself to get possession of the jewels and dared not allow Colonel Blood to be punished for fear he should turn resentful and tell the truth.

Most people assume that all the Regalia are of great antiquity. This, however is not the case. During the Commonwealth regime of Oliver Cromwell, from 1649 to 1660, the priceless relics which for six centuries had figured in the crowning of England's monarchs were broken down. On the restoration of the Monarchy in 1660 strenuous efforts were made to track down and re-assemble such pieces as had not been broken or defaced. A few gems were recovered undamaged, including the Black Prince's ruby and St. Edward's Sapphire, which adorn the Imperial Crown today.

The only pieces of the present Regalia which have featured in the crowning of English monarchs before 1660 are those two gems, Queen Elizabeth's pearl ear-drops and the Stuart Sapphire from the Crown of Charles II. The Spoon and Ampulla, which will be used in the Coronation ceremony for the solemn moment of anointing, date from the pre-reformation days.

The spoon has been used, it is thought, in Coronation ceremonies for nearly 800 years, for its workmanship is in the style of the late 12th or early 13th century. The Ampulla is a gold vessel shaped like an eagle, through whose beak the sacramental oil is poured into the spoon. The Archbishop of Canterbury will dip two fingers into this spoon and anoint the Sovereign with the sign of the Cross.

## W.C.T.U. ANNUAL

The Newmarket Women's Christian Temperance Union held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Winn on April 1. Devotions were given by Mrs. F. Breckon, reading from St. Matthew 28 chapter, the first verses. The theme was: "He is not here; He is risen."

A World's Life Membership was presented to Mrs. A. Winn who has been president of the Newmarket Union for 20 years. (Note: "A World's Life Membership" costs \$100 and the money is used for World Missions.)

The following officers were installed by Mrs. F. Breckon: past president, Mrs. A. Winn; president, Mrs. R. H. Beckett; first vice-pres., Mrs. W. E. Morton; second vice-pres., Mrs. L. E. Ewart; treasurer, Mrs. E. Bull; secretary, Miss L. Starr.

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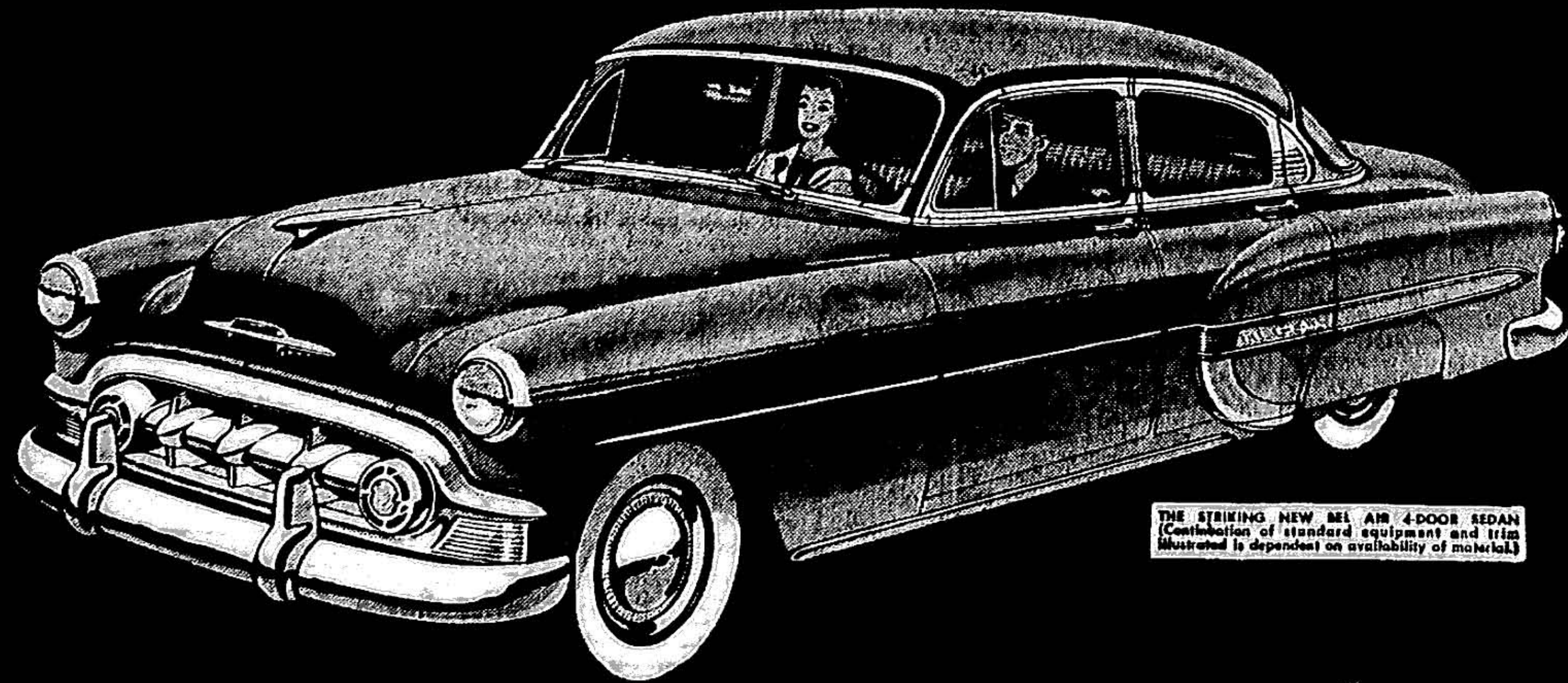
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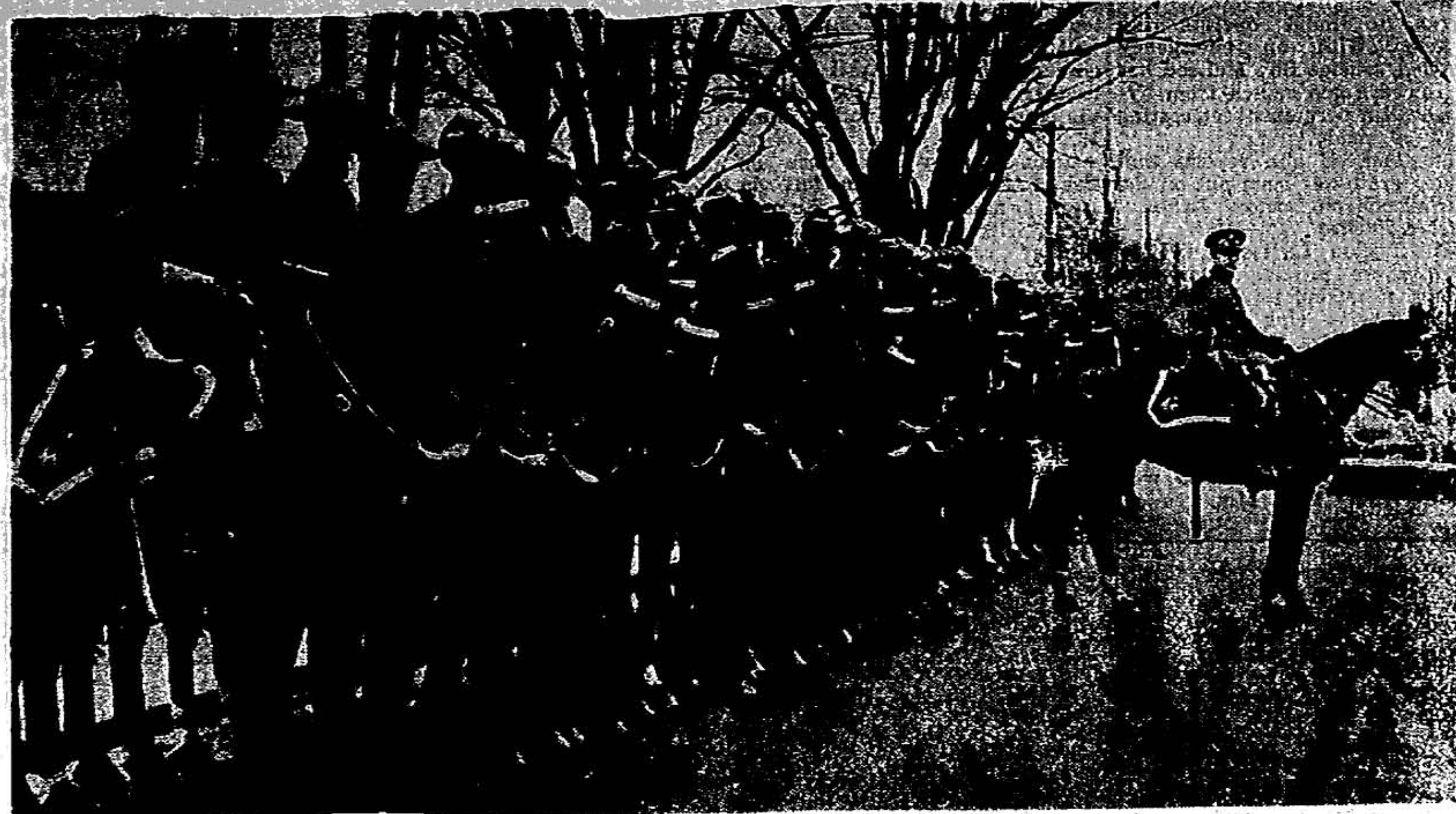
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**PINE ORCHARD**

The W. W. of Union church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Emerson Sheppard, Cedar Valley, on Wednesday afternoon, April 1. Plans were discussed for an opportunity sale in September and committees were appointed.

Each member is being asked to donate an apron. Wool will be supplied for knitting by Mrs. John Pyle. Mrs. Douglas Hope read an Easter message on "The Risen Christ", prepared by Mrs. J. Preston. Mrs. Sheppard gave an appropriate Easter reading.

The Easter lesson was read in unison and roll call was well answered by an Easter thought.

Snowball W.A. and W.M.S. of the United church met at the home of Mrs. Howard Haines on Wednesday afternoon, April 8.

Miss Betty Coburn spent the Easter holidays at her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Dike and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDonald on Sunday.

Miss Miriam Boake entertained at a kitchen utensil demonstration recently.

Mrs. Ross Armitage and Mrs. Fred Leach visited John Leach at the Sick Children's hospital, Toronto, on Sunday afternoon. John underwent an operation on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pyle, Toronto, spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. Pyle, Cedar Valley.

Union church service will be at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 12. On Sunday evening, April 19, a special service will be held at Union church at 7:30. Rev. Howey of Aurora United church will be the guest speaker. There will be special music. At the close of the service a fireside meeting will be held.

A quilting was held at the home of Mrs. John Ash last Tuesday afternoon.

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**JACK SMITH WRITES****Ottawa Letter**

A weekly letter from the member of parliament  
for York North.

A famous Canadian statesman of the Confederation era once said that "a wise nation preserves its records, gathers up its monuments, decorates the tombs of its illustrious dead, repairs its great public structures and fosters national pride and love of country by perpetual reference to the sacrifices and glories of the past."

As Canadians, we sometimes are criticized for our apparent lack of national spirit and our lack of appreciation for the historic significance of places and events. However, in the House this week another Nova Scotian, Hon. H. Winters, voiced the same sentiments as the illustrious Howe and introduced legislation to establish the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada.

The object of the Bill is to provide for the placing of the Historic Sites Board of Canada on a statutory basis. An advisory board has been in existence for some time and with the co-operation of government, has carried on a most commendable work.

Public interest in the Board has increased greatly in recent years and there has been a quickening appreciation of the need for more extensive activity.

The Royal Commission on National Development in the Arts, Letters and Sciences recommended a more comprehensive program of preserving and marking historic sites. The constitution of the Board under the authority of an Act of Parliament will give full recognition to the importance of its function.

It is many years since the federal government first recognized its responsibilities to honor and preserve historic sites and while progress has been slow we are hopeful of better things in the future. In 1919 an honorary historic sites board was appointed to advise the department in the selection of sites and events of national importance and worthy of commemoration. Since 1919 this board has examined, for their historical significance,

the circumstances surrounding more than 1,000 sites. It has declared 623 of these to be of national importance. Already 429 historic sites have been marked or acquired.

There are five sites marked in Toronto but only one in North York. It is the cairn located just north of Richmond Hill at the Summit, commemorating the events connected with the construction of Yonge St., the military road and highway built in 1794-96 between Lakes Ontario and Huron to promote the settlement of the province.

The powers and duties of the new Board are to receive and consider recommendations respecting the marking or commemoration of historic sites, the establishment of historic museums and the administration of such places.

The Bill defines an historic place as a site, building or other place of National interest or significance and power is given to suitably mark such places and provide for their care and preservation.

Supported by all parties here the Bill recognizes the need for permanency in this important phase of our National growth and development. It demonstrates that as Canadians we appreciate the greatness of the legacy our history has left us to cherish and preserve.

**Rural Mail**

Canada's Post Office department in the fiscal year 1952-53 expended \$8,375,000 for rural mail services. This was an increase over the previous year of more than \$450,000.

In all the public services of Canada there are no more faithful public servants than the rural mail couriers and in the main there are none more poorly paid. This condition is due not to the wishes of the government, nor certainly not the wish of the people served by rural routes. It is the result of the tender system of letting contracts.

This Parliament has been giving a lot of thought and study to the problem of the rural mail man. As a result the government has introduced legislation designed to improve conditions and it has been generally accepted by all parties and by the rural mail couriers' association.

Under the new legislation the Postmaster General is empowered to revise contracts where the contractor is trying to do a job at a low figure in these days of rising costs.

There is such a great difference in conditions of the rural mail contracts in a country so widespread and diversified as Canada that it is impossible to set any definite schedule of payment. Road conditions, train schedules, number of boxes and many other factors enter into the work and cost of the different contracts. The new legislation gives the Postmaster General authority to take all these and other factors into consideration and make adjustments where warranted.

We hope the measure will result in more equitable treatment for the rural mail couriers of Canada and in this I am sure we will have the whole-hearted support and endorsement of the people.

I wish to thank the rural mail carriers in North York who have discussed this problem with me or written me their views and suggestions. Their co-operation has been most helpful and much appreciated.

Any contractor who is finding difficulty in making ends meet and feels his remuneration is out of line with costs of giving the service, can have his contract reviewed. I will be most happy of the opportunity of lending any possible assistance to any who wish to refer their case to me.

**BELHAVEN**

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holstock spent the weekend with their son, Lloyd, in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edney, Agincourt, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ardill, on Sunday.

Mrs. Gordon Lockie and children, London, are spending a few days with Mr. F. Lockie.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fairbairn and David, Toronto, visited Mr. Fairbairn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Fairbairn, over the weekend.

The following spent the weekend at their respective homes: Miss Phyllis Winch, Oshawa; Miss Bernice Davidson, Queensville; Miss Muriel Willoughby, Barrie; Mr. Robt. Davidson, Toronto; Mr. Robt. Winch, Guelph; Mr. Donald Fairbairn, Toronto; Mr. Dan Mahoney, Trenton, and Mr. Bruce Knights, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor and children, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mainprize.

The quarterly meeting at the Free Methodist church was well attended on Sunday.

**VANDORF**

The Aurora Presbyterian church choir will present their play, "Hook, Line and Sinker", in Vandorf hall on Wednesday, April 22, 8 p.m., sponsored by Wesley Women's Association.

Master Bryson Powell and Master Billie Little are spending the Easter holidays holiday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Powell, and Mary.

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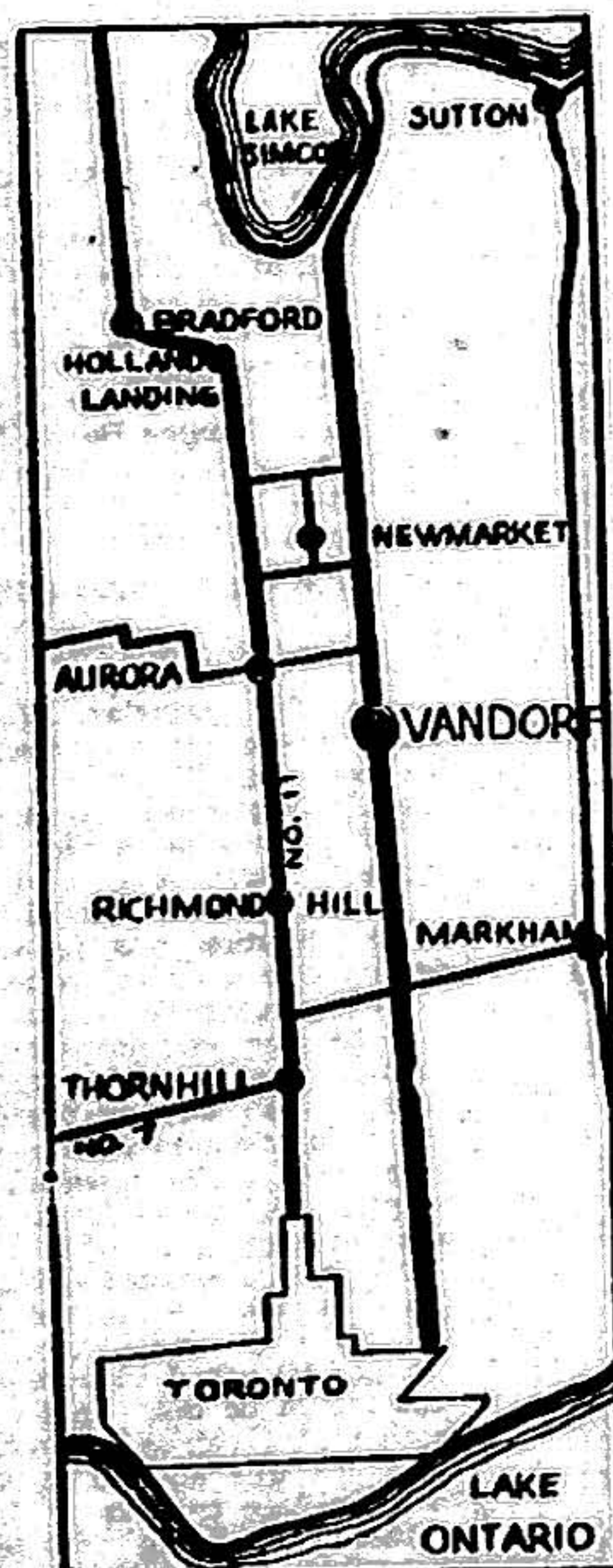
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